WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Strong south, shifting to west winds, or moderate gales; cloudy; mild at first, with rain; colder at night.

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REBEL FORCES MOVE SWIFTLY TO CONTROL ALL CATALONIA AREA

Government Troops Retreating Fast as Insurgents Report Capture of Important Centres—Expect To Take Whole Sector Along Mediterranean Within Week—Defence Crumbling

BARCELONA, Jan. 28 (AP).—Insurgent forces bent on conquest of the last corner of Catalonia reported tonight they had captured Arenys de Mar, coastal anchor of the Government's new line, almost without firing a shot. Arenys de Mar is twenty miles northeast of Barcelona.

Insurgents said the Government opposition could be called genuine military resistance only by courtesy. They said the Catalonian defence actually had collapsed with the fall of Barcelona on Thursday, the Government's greatest civil war defeat.

Caldetas, just southwest of Arenys de Mar, also was reported to have fallen to the thrust along the Mediterranean, the success of which caused optimistic insurgents to believe all Catalonia might be theirs in another week.

DEFENCE LINE BREAKS

A week ago the Government was holding what was considered to be a strong defensive line twenty-five miles west and south of Barcelona. It caved in Sunday.

The Government troops retreated so fast in many sectors, the insurgents said, that Generalissimo Fran-

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EMBARGO GROUP STAGES PARADE

Circulates Petition Protesting Metal Shipments to Agressor Nations

VANCOUVER, Jan. 28 (CP).—Spokesmen for for the Vancouver Embargo Council tonight said that hundreds of signatures were obtained today to a petition protesting shipment of scrap metal and concentrates to Japan and other "aggressor" nations.

The drive for signatures was made by about 300 paraders, who walked through downtown streets in pairs, carrying placards.

The marchers left Embargo Council headquarters at intervals, marched through the business section to a Fisherman's Union hall, then returned to their headquarters again. The first were sent out at 10 a.m. and the parade ended shortly after 5 p.m.

SIGNS ARE CARRIED

A number of automobiles also took part in the parade, carrying large signs and parking where possible to obtain signatures to the petition.

Today's parade was the second protest demonstration staged by the Embargo Council, formed here several months ago by various women's and labor organizations. The first demonstration, a parade like today's but without any attempt to obtain petition signatures, was held several weeks ago.

Bachelor Tax To Start Old Maid's Fund

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Jan 28 (AP).—State Senator N. J. Lovelace said today he planned to introduce a bill in the Tennessee Legislature, placing an annual tax of $1,000 on bachelors and—of all things—let the money go into a fund for pensioning old maids.

There was little hope of Administration backing for the bill. Both Governor Prentiee Copper and Senate Speaker Blan Maxwell are bachelors.

FRENCH GOVERNMENT HONORS OPERA SINGER

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—Grace Moore made her seasonal re-entry at the Metropolitan Opera today with an amount of glamour unusual even for an operatic film star.

She was notified, between acts, that she had been made a Chevalier of the French Legion of Honor for services to French music and culture generally.

The information was formally conveyed by the French ambassador, Count Rene de Saint-Quentin.

HEADS INTO OPEN OCEAN

Luncheon on Ship at Halifax Marks Final Farewell to R. B. Bennett

HALIFAX, Jan. 28 (CP).—The liner Montclare cast off her mooring lines tonight and headed into the open Atlantic, carrying Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett to a new home in England.

With a break in his voice, the former Prime Minister said his last farewell to the country whose Government he headed for five years at a luncheon today in the Montclare's dining-room, crowded by more than 250 Halifax residents.

Halifax Canadian Club and Dalhousie University, from which Mr. Bennett graduated forty-five years ago, collaborated in the joint farewell luncheon in the liner which brought him from Saint John yesterday. J. McG. Stewart, chairman of Dalhousie board of governors, described Mr. Bennett as "the man who Dalhousians consider our most distinguished alumnus."

STRESSES NEED OF UNITY

As he did on his farewell trip across the Dominion, the former Conservative leader stressed the need of Canadian unity and Canadian partnership in the Empire.

"These are critical times," he said. "We can't continue long to go without a common policy—a foreign

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BIG U.S. RELIEF BILL APPROVED

Senate Adds Restrictions Against Use of Funds for Political Purposes

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28 (AP).—The United States Senate gave final approval to the $725,000,000 emergency relief bill late today after writing into it broad restrictions against use of any Federal funds for political purposes.

The measure now goes back to the House of Representatives for consideration of these restrictions and other amendments. Whatever reception the Senate changes may get there, Administration forces will have no opportunity to try again to raise the appropriation to the $875,000,000 asked by President Roosevelt.

Raise Many Ships Sunk During War

MOSCOW, Jan. 28 (AP).—In fifteen years of salvage operations, Soviet divers have raised 435 ships, aggregating about 800,000 tons. Many of these vessels were sunk during the civil war years. One of them, a British steamer, was said to be carrying $2,500,000 in gold to finance the White armies; but when the divers got to it the gold was gone.

Examiners of Motor Drivers' Tests

Above are the officers and examiners of the Motor Vehicle Branch of the British Columbia Provincial Police who will conduct the drivers' tests which start tomorrow at the old Drill Hall on Menzies Street. Three of the four dummy drivers' seats which will be used are shown. In use, they are separated by curtains.

Sees Likelihood of Plan For Harbor Improvement Being Adopted at Ottawa

Victoria Member Is Making Encouraging Progress on Expansion Proposals

GOVERNMENT WOULD TAKE OVER OLD DOCK

(Special to The Colonist)

OTTAWA, Jan. 28.—"Encouraging progress" is being made in negotiations which have opened for Dominion Government action to improve the Outer Dock situation in Victoria Harbor.

Robert W. Mayhew, Victoria member, in conferences yesterday and today with officials of the Public Works Department, pressed for the taking of immediate Federal steps. On Monday, Mr. Mayhew will discuss the proposal further with Hon. P. J. A. Cardin, Public Works Minister. Indications are the Dominion Government will agree to embark on the plan.

URGES JOINT USE

Arrangements for use by both Canadian Pacific and Canadian National Railways of the Government-owned Outer Dock, at present leased and utilized by the Canadian National only, with the grain elevator and storage plant, are being urged by Mr. Mayhew.

Purchase by the Dominion Government of the privately owned Rithet Dock and the effecting of up-to-date improvements for use by both railways is also being asked by the Victoria member. He is requesting that the C.N.R. spur track be run back through the Macdonald estate with a "Y" track on the Rithet Dock creating an industrial area at the back of the docks, as well as serving the elevator and cold storage plants.

PASSES IN ENGLAND

WALMER, England, Jan. 28 (AP).—Sir Laurie Hammond, sixty-six, Governor of Assam from 1927 to 1932 and a member of the 1936-37 Royal Commission on Palestine, died today. He was in the Indian Civil Service for forty years.

Grand Coulee Dam Threatened by Earth Slide on River Bank

GRAND COULEE, Jan. 28 (AP).—Crews are working twenty-four hours a day to check a gigantic slide, involving more than 2,000,000 yards of earth on the west shore of the Columbia River, in an effort to save the highway, railway and buildings at Grand Coulee Dam.

The slippage, between the dam and the engineer's town a short distance down river from the dam, spreads in a wide triangle from a point high above the dam site highway and extends to the surface of the river, where it is about 2,000 feet wide. In the last few days the mass has dropped five feet at some places. The slide threatens to interfere seriously with the vast dam project.

Death Toll From Chilean Disaster Placed at 24,000

Earthquake Recorded as One of Heaviest in Nation's History—Thousands of Bodies Still In Ruins of Stricken Areas—Three Thousand Orphans Are to Be Cared For

SANTIAGO, Chile, Jan. 28 (AP).—Chilean officials said a toll of at least 24,000 dead was indicated today by advices from the South Central region devastated by the nation's worst earthquake disaster Tuesday night.

An estimate of 20,000 dead in Chillan alone, half the city's population, "would be conservative," officials said on receiving reports by courier from military authorities who took over control of the Andean foothill city 200 miles south of Santiago.

Dispatches from the quake area estimated the dead of other cities as follows: Concepcion, 2,000; Cauquenes, 1,500; Parral, 500.

CREMATIONS SUGGESTED

Most still were buried under tons of debris constituting a grave health menace. Some sources said dynamiting the ruins and mass cremation of the bodies were the only means of preventing epidemics.

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ALBERTA DUCKS SAFE IN SOUTH

Live Mallards Marooned by Frost Rescued and Taken To Seattle

SEATTLE, Jan. 28 (AP).—A truckload of 165 live mallard ducks, trapped in Alberta after being helplessly marooned there by the mild Winter and a sudden freezing spell, arrived here today after a free ride south, with free food awaiting them.

Louis K. Lea, banker and Seattle leader of Duck Unlimited, sportsmen's movement to restore depleted duck flocks, was on hand with other sports leaders to greet M. F. Van Hook, of the state game department as he arrived from Spokane.

The ducks, "hitch-hikers" transported across state in a two-deck truck cage, were liberated at the water's edge. Most of them remained on the water nearby, tired out by the two-day trip from near Spokane, where their legs had been banded for identification purposes when shot or captured elsewhere.

"Local" ducks and mudhens, incidentally, quickly beat them to the grain supplies scattered on the beach.

A shipment of 400 was started south ten days ago from Alberta. Upwards of 200 were banded and liberated at Turnbull Slough, Eastern Washington. The ducks were only a few of the thousands endangered by Winter weather, representatives of Ducks Unlimited said.

NEW YORK JUDGE UNDER SUSPICION

Allegations of Misconduct Against Martin T. Manton Are Being Investigated

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—The United States Department of Justice, Attorney-General Frank Murphy announced today, has under investigation allegations of misconduct against Federal Circuit Judge Martin T. Manton, of New York, ranking jurist, who has sat on the bench for twenty-three years.

The department in Washington said it had been "making an investigation into allegations of misconduct against Martin T. Manton, a Circuit Court judge for the second judicial circuit. This investigation is to determine whether there is basis for action by Federal authorities."

Murdered Woman Is Found Lying Beside Road in Esquimalt

Mrs. Dulcie Hanham, Thirty-Five, Resident of City, Meets Death at Hands of Unknown Assailant—Axe and Razor Believed Used

EVERY effort is being made by city and Esquimalt police to find the murderer of Mrs. Dulcie Hanham, thirty-five, found on the Colville Road extension in Esquimalt early yesterday morning with her skull hacked open and her throat slashed. No trace of the weapons has been found.

A post-mortem examination was made at Sands' Mortuary last night by Dr. J. H. Moore, and an inquest will be held early in the week by Dr. E. C. Hart, the coroner.

Alexander Cleemoff, 2818 Austin Street, found the body beside the road at 8:15 o'clock in the morning when he was hauling earth in a wagon. Chief H. W. V. Pecknold and Constable Gilbert Stancombe attended, and were assisted by Detective Fearon Woodburn, of the city force.

COAT OVER HEAD

They found the body lying twelve feet from the centre of Colville Road in the wet grass, about one-quarter of a mile west of the intersection of Lampson Street, and opposite the Gorge Vale Golf Club

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CHAMBERLAIN CALLS ON OTHERS TO CONTRIBUTE TO WORLD PEACE

Prime Minister Replies to Critics of Munich Accord and Rome Visit—Reviews British Rearmament and Stresses Recent Increase in Strength—Backs Roosevelt's Stand

People of All Nations Wish To Live on Friendly Terms

BIRMINGHAM, Jan. 28 (AP).—Prime Minister Chamberlain tonight called on "others" to contribute to the world's peace in what was regarded in some quarters as an invitation for Chancellor Hitler to help the appeasement cause when he addresses the Reichstag on Monday. He stressed Great Britain's growing strength for defence in a speech before a home town audience of businessmen and told of international misgivings over the future.

Mr. Chamberlain likened his stand to that of President Roosevelt in a declaration of inevitable resistance to efforts to rule by force.

"We have so often defined our attitude that there can be no misunderstanding about it and I feel that it is time now that others should make their contribution to a result which would overflow with benefits to all," the Prime Minister declared.

ENDANGERED BY CHALLENGE OF FORCE

"Today the air is full of rumors and suspicions which ought not to be allowed to persist. For peace could only be endangered by such a challenge as was envisaged by the President of the United States in his New Year message, namely, a demand to dominate the world by force.

"That would be a demand which, as the President indicated and I myself have already declared, the democracies must inevitably resist.

"But I cannot believe that any such challenge is intended, for the consequences of war for the peoples on either side would be so grave that no Government which has their interests at heart would lightly embark upon them."

Earlier in his address Mr. Chamberlain said he believes that the British, French, German and Italian people wish to live on terms of friendship and understanding with each other and settle their differences, if they have any, by discussion and not by force.

He added, however:

"I do not exclude the possibility that these feelings of the peoples may not always be shared by their Governments and I recognize that it is with Governments and not peoples that we have to deal."

TO ALL PARTS OF WORLD

Mr. Chamberlain's address was relayed through the British Broadcasting Corporation covering the United Kingdom and six short-wave transmitters reaching all parts of the world. A condensed version was broadcast in German in a special programme directed to Central Europe.

The address was the first he had made since his January 11-14 mission to Rome in which he and Premier Mussolini acquainted each other with their views on post-Munich problems.

He paid tribute to Mussolini's aid in bringing peace out of the September war scare, said that without his co-operation "I do not believe peace could have been saved," and answered critics of his Rome journey by declaring:

"We did not go to Rome to make bargains but to get to know Italian statesmen better, to ascertain by personal discussion what was their

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One-Time Chef of Old Russian Court Starves to Death

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—Alexander Mailsheff, seventy-four, who prepared great banquets as chef in the court of the Russian Czar, is dead—from malnutrition. Malisheff lost his money during the depression. When he failed to appear in court yesterday to answer a charge of street begging, investigation disclosed he had been found dead last Saturday of undernourishment.

CHANGE MADE IN MINISTRY

Shift of Posts Announced to Strengthen Programme For Defence

LONDON, Jan. 28 (AP).—Prime Minister Chamberlain injected new blood into his Cabinet today in posts vital in Great Britain's defence programme amid increasing European anxiety over the next moves of Chancellor Hitler and Premier Mussolini.

Mr. Chamberlain timed both the changes of his ministry and a speech tonight in Birmingham, in anticipation of important pronouncements by the German and Italian dictators next week.

Lord Chatfield, Admiral of the Fleet, who helped direct Great Britain's naval rearmanient until his retirement from the navy last year, joined the Cabinet as minister for co-ordination of defence.

VICTIM OF CRITICISM

He replaced Sir Thomas Inskip, who had held the post since it was created March 13, 1936. Sir Thomas long had been under fire on charges of allowing a slow-moving administration.

Sir Thomas remained in the Cabinet, being assigned the Dominions portfolio, which Malcolm MacDonald had held along with the Colonial Secretaryship.

A retired farmer, Sir Reginald Hugh Dorman-Smith, became Minister of Agriculture to push a vigorous farm programme which, like Lord Chatfield's new duties, is vital in war preparations.

He succeeded W. S. Morrison, who became Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster. Earl Winterton, who had held the latter sinecure, left the Cabinet to become Paymaster-General.

The Earl of Munster replaced Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal as parliamentary under-secretary of war.

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Warm Car to Save Old Art From Damage

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Jan. 28 (AP).—A car load of paintings by the world's masters, insured for $20,000,000, was held in Cheyenne until a warm air circulating system could be installed in their railroad car.

Experts who accompanied the shipment said the installation was necessary because they feared the sudden change from the comparative warmth of low altitudes to the frigidity of the Continental Divide west of Cheyenne might crack pigments on the canvas.

MAY CLARIFY GERMAN STAND

Hitler to Address Reichstag Monday—Big Celebration Is Planned

BERLIN, Jan. 28 (AP).—Chancellor Hitler, celebrating six years of victory and surrounded by Nazi pageantry, on Monday will tell from the Reichstag rostrum where Germany stands in the stubborn European struggle for power.

Hitler will speak at 8 p.m. (11 a.m., P.S.T.) to the world's largest Parliament—855 deputies—on the sixth anniversary of the Nazi Reich, and at 11 p.m., he will review from his Chancellery balcony a repetition of a jubilant torchlight parade staged by the Nazis on their hour of victory on January 30, 1933.

Important parts of the speech are expected to be devoted to Germany's support of Italy's clamor for "justice" in Africa, to the victorious march of the Spanish insurgents, and to the attitude of the French Government in its refusal to open French frontiers to aid the Barcelona Government, which was closely observed here.

MANY CARRIED DOWN FIREMEN'S LADDER

SEATTLE, Jan. 28 (AP).—Firemen took twenty-three persons down ladders out of a burning apartment house shortly after 2 a.m. today in a fire blamed on an incendiarist. No one was injured, but the basement was burned out and the fire broke through the first floor before being extinguished.

Three other fires in the same vicinity the same time were also probably "set," Battalion Chief M. W. McIntosh said. A false alarm was also turned in.

LEAVES FIRM THAT STARTED FORTUNE

J. P. Morgan Resigns as Director Of Insurance Company Which Gave Family Wealth

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—One hundred and twenty years' active family association with the firm that made the first Morgan fortune was ended this week when J. P. Morgan resigned as a director of Aetna Insurance Company.

Now in his seventy-second year, the present "J.P." is gradually divesting himself of all active business responsibilities.

It was in 1819, the year the first steamboat crossed the Atlantic and Mexico won independence from Spain, that J.P.'s great-grandfather, Joseph Morgan, prosperous Hartford tavern-keeper, helped found the company.

The founders did not put in cash, instead signing notes of from $5,000 to $10,000, pledging their personal credit as the foundation of the company's credit.

British Floods Take Two Lives

LONDON, Jan. 28 (CP-Havas).—Floods in the British Isles were receding today, but two deaths were reported, and hundreds of persons at Ipswich, Suffolk, spent the night without shelter.

At Stamford, Lincolnshire, a child of fifteen drowned when a canoe was crushed against a tree. The body of a nineteen-year-old girl was found in a pond at Otley, Suffolk.

B.C. Drivers' Tests Will Begin Monday In Greater Victoria

Simple, Twenty-Minute Examination Puts Average Motorist Through to First-Class Certificate—Newspapermen and Women Try Out Plan

EXAMINATION of motor drivers in the Greater Victoria area will begin at the Menzies Street headquarters of the Provincial Motor Licence Branch at 9 a.m. tomorrow on a voluntary basis with those who offer themselves for the test.

Nine out of ten drivers, experience has shown, will be able to pass the simple, twenty-minute test unconditionally, and others will be coached until they do. A dollar fee will be asked for the test which is distinct from the annual driver's licence, renewable next month. Nobody will be put off the road without test, and nobody will be summoned to the examination for some time to come.

Inspector G. A. Hood, in charge of the Motor Licence Branch, explained yesterday plans for the inauguration of the scheme in the Greater Victoria area. Testing staffs and equipment will be able to handle 200 examinations a day, and will commence with those motorists who volunteer for the test. The first compulsory examinations will be for those involved in motor vehicle accidents and others who may be later convicted in court for traffic offences. After that, the balance of the motor registration lists will be called in alphabetical order

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DRESSED SOLES, lb. 15c
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7c
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ORANGES — Sweet and Juicy. 2 doz. 15c
Sunkist Grapefruit 9 for 25c
Sunkist Lemons, doz. 13c
Washed Carrots, 8 lbs. 10c
SWEET POTATOES 3 lbs. 15c
BRUNSWICK SARDINES 2 tins 9c
BIG FIVE CLEANSER 2 tins 9c
SPECIALS
Jergens Lotion, 23c
Pure Russian Mineral Oil 16-oz. bottle 2 for 59c
Bay Rum Shaving Cream, Reg. 19c 9c
Ridge Malt Extract with Cod Liver Oil, 2-lb. jar 62c
Pepsodent Tooth Powder, 39c
Barclay's Halibut Liver Oil Capsules, Box of 50 59c
AYLMER Pork and Beans 4 tins 25c
ROYAL CROWN SAL SODA 2-lb. pkt. 8c
KRAFT CHEESE Canadian or Old English, Velveeta Plain, or Pimento 16c ½-lb. pkt.
Butter First Grade 3 lbs. 85c
CHEESE Mild, lb. 18c
Nippy, lb. 23c
EGGS Grade A Large, doz. 26c
Grade A Med., doz. 24c
Grade A Pullet, doz. 23c

HUNGER-MADDENED DERELICTS OF WAR FLEE TO FRONTIERS

Thousands Cross Border to Find Haven in France—Mass Migration Includes Women, Children And Old Men—Many in Pitiful Plight From Exposure to Cold

PERPIGNAN, France, Jan. 28 (AP).—Thousands of panic-stricken, hunger-crazed Spanish refugees stumbled across the French frontier today fleeing before an insurgent army sweeping northward through Catalonia almost without opposition.

These thousands, however, were only a pitiful vanguard of a horde estimated by Spanish Government authorities at almost 1,000,000 who were being pushed toward the frontier by the insurgent advance.

For them it was the end of a week of tortured flight from homes smashed in the civil war—end of a week which had seen the Government's resistance collapse with an almost unbelievable suddenness after two and a half years of warfare.

CROSSING BORDER

One of the greatest mass migrations of history was under way. Border authorities at Le Perthus dropped the chain across a gateway through the Pyrenees Mountains, admitting throngs into France, sobbing with relief, hundreds of women and children and old men hurled themselves on the border guards.

Many collapsed in the snow, huddling together against the sides of buildings to protect their scantily-clad bodies from a biting wind. They were too weary to eat, too hungry to sleep.

Others grabbed feverishly at great chunks of bread handed out by emergency relief kitchens and gnawed at them ravenously. Most of them had not eaten for two and three days.

There were a few mothers carrying babies which had been born along the roadside while great guns roared in the distance and warplanes dropped their loads of bombs nearby.

IN TATTERED RAGS

These were young Catalonian girls prematurely aged, their tattered rags smeared with freezing mud.

An estimated 10,000 crossed the frontier today. About half were "legal" refugees passed by the French border control machinery. The others crossed the frontiers along smugglers' trails in the snow-covered Pyrenees through the 6,000-foot high pass Prat de Molo, twenty-five miles west of Le Perthus.

French authorities rushed between 4,000 and 5,000 troops to the border to help control the refugees. The prefect of the border department, Raoul Didkowski, was ordered to let only women and children and old men into France, but he replied French troops would have to be empowered to use their guns if men of fighting age also were to be barred.

The French troops deployed along the bottom of the mountains of the unmarked Pyrenees frontier, where they disarmed deserters who crossed into France.

ROADWAYS BLOCKED

Late today the road on the Spanish side of the frontier of Le Perthus was blocked for six miles by trucks, cars and wagons abandoned by drivers, who trudged the rest of the way to France with whatever they could carry.

From the heights at Le Perthus the road from Figueras, fifteen miles to the south, was jammed with a stream of refugees afoot.

One deserter walked across the mountains carrying a box of dynamite big enough to blow up half of Le Perthus. Dazed and hungry after a long mountain crossing, he was unable to explain to the guards why he carried the heavy box all the way to France.

Here at Perpignan the international military committee for the evacuation of foreign volunteers in Spain said that despite difficulties they expected to obtain passage for at least a part of from 5,000 to 6,000 foreign volunteers still left in Catalonia.

Almost all of these "men without countries" are Poles, Italians, Czecho-Slovaks and Germans whose own Governments took away their citizenship for fighting with the Government army in Spain.

CALLS ON OTHERS TO AID WORLD PEACE

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point of view and to make sure that they understood ourselves. . . . We accomplished that. . . ."

PARTIAL TEXT OF SPEECH

Mr. Chamberlain said, in part:

Very recently, as you know, the Foreign Secretary and I paid a visit to Rome and for this too we are criticized by people who seem determined to obstruct and resist every attempt to carry out what are clearly the wishes of the peoples of both countries, namely, to live on terms of friendship and understanding with one another and settle their differences, if they have any, by discussion and not by force.

That is true not only of Italy and Great Britain; it is equally true of France, of Germany and, I believe, of every country of the world.

I do not exclude the possibility that these feelings of the peoples may not always be shared by their Governments and I recognize that it is with Governments and not peoples that we have to deal.

Nevertheless, let us cultivate the friendship of the peoples and that can be done by individuals and by traders as well as by more official representatives.

ON TERMS OF EQUALITY

Let us make it clear to them that we do not regard them as potential foes, but rather as human beings like ourselves with whom we are always prepared to talk on terms of equality, with an open mind to hear their point of view and to satisfy so far as we can any reasonable aspirations that they cherish and which do not conflict with the general rights of others to liberty and justice.

In that way alone we shall remove these eternal suspicions that poison the international atmosphere and get back our security of mind and that confidence which is the life blood of successful enterprise.

We cannot forget that though it takes at least two to make a peace, one can make a war. And until we have come to clear understandings in which all political tension is swept away we must put ourselves in a position to defend ourselves against attack, whether upon our land, our people or the principles of freedom with which our existence as democracy is bound up and which to us seem to enshrine the highest attributes of human life and spirit.

TASK OF REARMAMENT

It is for this purpose, for the purpose of defence and not of attack, that we are pursuing the task of rearmament with unrelenting vigor and with the full approval of the country.

It has taken us a long time, so low had our defences fallen in the vain hope that others would follow our example, to get going the machinery that had run down. But progress now is being made more rapidly every day in all directions.

It is now nearly three years since we started on a very large programme for rebuilding and modernizing the fleet. To give you some idea of the extent of this programme I may tell you that during the twelve months ending on the 31st of next March, some sixty new ships with a tonnage of about 130,000 tons will have been added to the Navy. And for the ensuing twelve months the addition will be even larger, namely, about seventy-five ships of 150,000 tons.

FACTORY EXPANSION

The Royal Air Force is also going ahead at an equally remarkable rate. Large factory extensions have been made and huge new factories have been, or are being, erected in different parts of the country.

You can see for yourselves what has been done here in the Austin factory and the immense new works being erected by Lord Nuffield.

In addition, we are continually increasing our capacity by the extension of sub-contracting, and to show you that the results of all this activity are no longer reserved for the future you may like to know that in the last few months we have actually doubled the rate of aircraft production.

On the recruiting side also good progress is being made, and whereas in 1937, between April and the end of the year, we obtained 9,000 new entrants into the R.A.F. This year the corresponding number is 25,000.

In regard to the army I propose only to say a word about the part of our programme which is most frequently referred to by critics, I mean our anti-aircraft defences.

PROGRAMME ACCELERATED

Everyone knows that last September certain deficiencies were disclosed in these defences. We were well aware that those deficiencies existed, for we were engaged on a programme which was only planned for completion at a considerably later date. But the programme has now been accelerated and the deficiencies which were apparent last September have largely been removed.

It would not be in the public interest to give actual figures, but I may tell you that a few days ago I was examining the position as it is today, and as it will be in the course of the next few months, and you may take it that it is very greatly improved, not only as regards the increase of guns and accessories, but also in the organization for directing and manning them.

A few nights ago I broadcast a message to the nation to initiate the recruiting campaign for national voluntary service, and want to say a few more words in the same subject this evening.

FOURTH DEFENCE ARM

It would be superfluous for me to impress on this audience the need for building up what I may call the fourth arm of our national defence. If we should ever be involved in war we may well find that if we are not all in the firing line we may all be in the line of fire. And in meeting that danger there is a new opportunity of service for the civil population in the various branches of civil defence.

We are not seeking to build up a vast civil defence force to be embodied like a professional army in war time, relieving the citizens in general of their responsibilities for their own defence.

Our task is to find people for certain definite jobs, not to find jobs for the whole of the people. What we are looking for is men and women who will volunteer now to give their service for certain definite purposes, as air raid wardens, or fire fighters, for first aid and rescue parties, or for those services of a more domestic kind which any scheme of evacuation must demand.

TASK WELL IN HAND

And we want them to be ready to undergo training now so that they may be able to give that service efficiently if ever the need for it arises. Of course, the enrollment of volunteers would be useless without the provision of the civil defence organization which they are to man, and this part of our task is now well in hand.

I am not afraid of our appeal for voluntary workers. The spirit of services is ever present in our plea, and it was never stronger than it is today. Our motto is neither defiance, nor defence. It is defence, and we confidently count on the response of the nation to show our determination to make that defence invincible.

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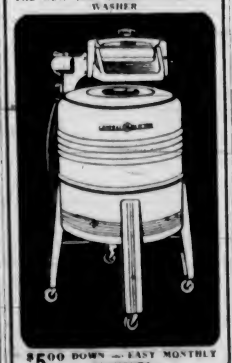

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CHIEF of the Canadian general staff, and formerly District Officer Commanding Military District No. 11 (Victoria), who will arrive here tomorrow on a tour of inspection of the Dominion's defence forces. Major-General Ashton will inspect the new fortifications in the vicinity of Victoria, and will return to Vancouver on February 6.

CONVENTION TO BE HELD HERE

Native Sons and Daughters To Be Guests of Victoria Posts

Victoria posts of the Native Sons and Daughters of British Columbia will act as hosts to the Grand Posts at a convention, to be held here on April 14 and 15, it was announced at an enthusiastic meeting of the Grand Post executive, held in The Colonist board room last night.

George A. Brine, New Westminster, grand factor, presided, and the other members of the executive present were: T. McQuarrie, Post No. 4, New Westminster, grand secretary; A. Jones, Post No. 7, Ladysmith, grand chaplain; Dudley Durrant, Post No. 2, Vancouver, grand vice-factor, and G. Mercer, New Westminster; J. Battle, Ladysmith; L. Westendale, Victoria, grand deputies, and C. C. Pemberton, Victoria, grand historian.

It was resolved that a letter of congratulation should be forwarded to Hon. Ian A. Mackenzie, Minister of National Defence, on the formation of the fishermen's reserve of the Royal Canadian Navy, and that the volunteers, through the officer commanding, should be wished every success in the venture.

A considerable amount of routine business was dealt with at the meeting.

WOMAN SLAIN IN ESQUIMALT

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An overcoat had been pulled up over the head and shoulders.

Although the road was a mass of mud and puddles, there was no earth on the shoes. This led police to believe the body had been carried to the spot in which it was found.

There were no signs of a struggle, nor were there any fresh automobile tire tracks in evidence. Dr. Hart was unable at that time to estimate when death had occurred.

ARTICLES FOUND

Six feet from the body the dead woman's purse lay open. It contained forty-two cents in change, a notebook, powder puff, small box of face powder, and a Dominion Employment Agency card in the name of Mrs. Hanham.

Inquiry at the Employment Agency revealed that Mrs. Hanham registered there on August 10, 1937, and again on January 17, 1938. She was listed as a housekeeper, daily domestic and demonstrator of foodstuffs and other products. She was known to be the mother of a child aged twelve years, and separated from her husband.

Last year she worked for a short time for a local wholesale firm and later as a waitress at the Provincial Exhibition.

Police found that the dead woman had been living in a room in the 1300 block on Vining Street, and managed to trace her movements up to last Thursday night.

Funeral Services to Be Held Today

LATE LIEUT.-COL. CUNNINGHAM

FUNERAL services for Lieutenant-Colonel H. H. B. Cunningham, adjutant of the Victoria Corps of Commissionaires, whose death occurred on Thursday morning, will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Christ Church Cathedral. Rev. Arthur Bischlager will officiate. Interment will be made in the Military Cemetery, Esquimalt. It is requested that no flowers be sent. McCall Brothers are in charge of funeral arrangements.—Photo by Cherer.

Miner Killed at Britannia Beach

BRITANNIA BEACH, B.C., Jan. 28 (CP).—Officials of Britannia Mining & Smelting Company, Ltd., said tonight a "spill of ore" killed one man and partially buried another in their copper property about 1 p.m. today.

They said the dead man's name was Newburg, but his first name was unavailable. The second man, named Boyce, was rescued and suffered no ill effects, they said.

HEADS INTO OPEN OCEAN

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policy for the British Empire. I still have faith the genius of our people is equal to the task."

Presented with a scroll from Dalhousie and a plaque from the Law School, Mr. Bennett said he had been under considerable emotional strain the last few weeks, "but you nearly broke me up today."

Six young ladies presented him with a basket of roses. Each was roundly kissed on the cheek.

MEMBERS OF CANADA

Mr. Bennett said all the people in the country must remember that they are Canadians; members of the Dominion of Canada rather than merely members of a province.

"I invite you to a wider patriotism than that of a mere provincial life. Great as you may regard Nova Scotia—and it is great—I invite you on this occasion as I leave you to think of that vast land that lies beyond you, still part of Canada."

REBEL FORCES IN SWIFT ADVANCE

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co's advance guards were unable to keep in contact with their enemy.

The Government army was equal in numbers to the insurgents—about 300,000 men—but, lacking arms and ammunition, it was being rolled back toward France.

Accentuating that lack was the Government's loss of the Barcelona-Sabadell-Mataro triangle, a 175-square-mile area north of Barcelona which was the heart of the Government's munitions industry. There great factories and stores of war supplies were in insurgent hands.

BREADLINES ORGANIZED

Breadlines had been organized to function with drill-like precision for the relief of the hungry among the 1,500,000 people who remained in the former Government capital when it was captured.

Thousands thronged the Barcelona subways carrying loaves of bread and cans of milk. Barcelona had been on war rations for weeks while the insurgents were pushing to the city. Soldiers guarded today's food distribution to prevent the populace from storming supply centres.

Fragmentary reports from North-eastern Catalonia said Dr. Juan Negrin, head of the Government which fled Barcelona, held a Cabinet meeting at Figueras, about eighty miles from Barcelona and fifteen miles from the French border.

ADELAIDE (BUP).—A shark weighing 1,291 pounds was caught with rod and line by G. R. Cowell and Major Irwin, of Port Lincoln. The catch is claimed to be a world's record.

MEXICAN POLITICIANS JAILED FOR INSULTS

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 28 (AP).—Four leaders in Mexico's second largest political party were jailed today after sponsoring meetings at which the administration of President Lazaro Cardenas was attacked.

Wives and friends of the four, who were officials of the Mexican Constitutional Democratic Front, said the men were charged with "insulting the President," which is a violation of Mexican law.

QUAKE SHAKES MANILA

MANILA, Jan. 29 (AP).—An earthquake shook the Manila area at 10:40 a.m. today, but no damage or casualties were reported. Seismologists said the quake centred eighty miles from Manila, but they had not determined its direction. The quake lasted ten seconds.

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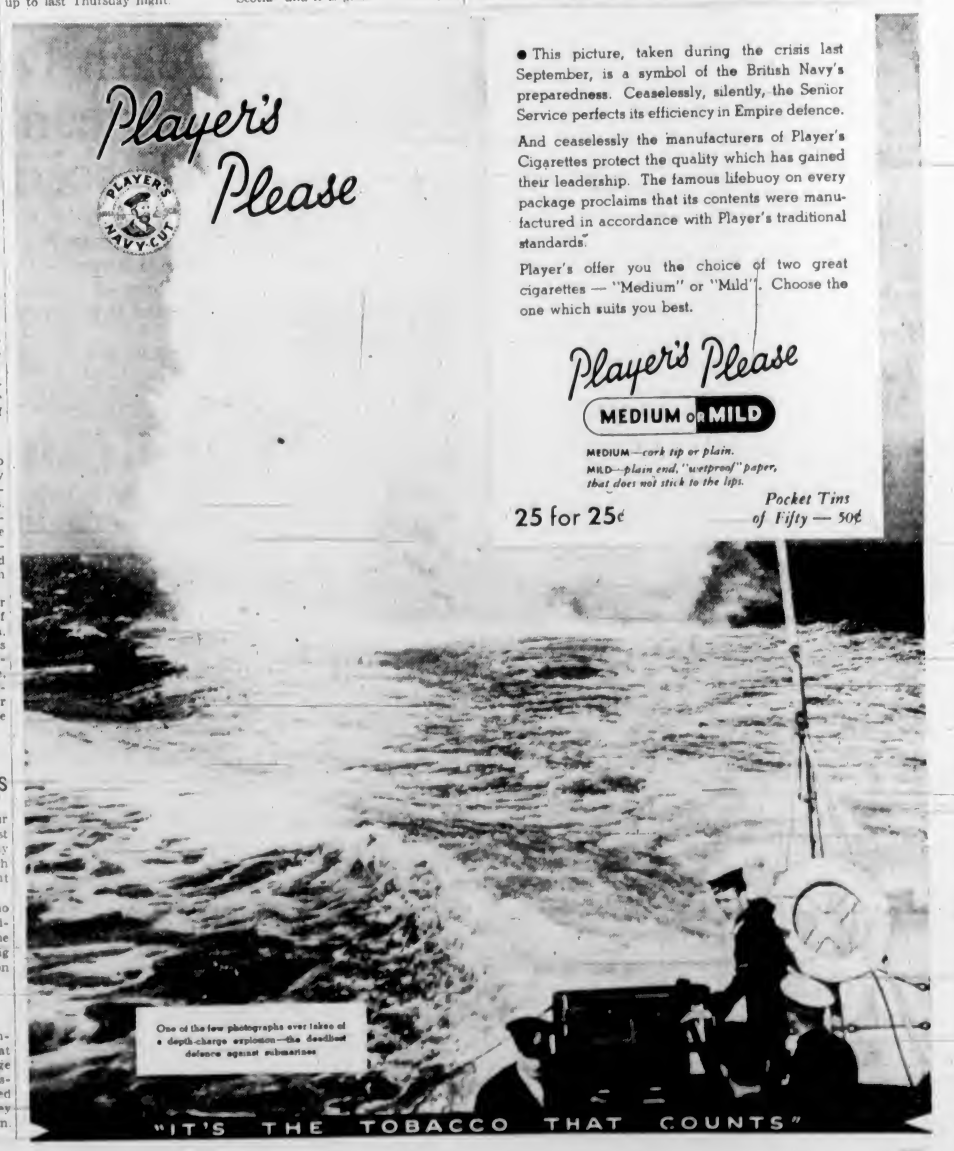

Declares Young Men Should Be Guided by Commission's Report

Problems Should Be Regarded From National Viewpoint, Says A. J. Wishart, Junior Chamber Of Commerce Head—Here Tomorrow

"WE can't get away from booms and depressions, floods and famines; but the best means at our present disposal to put our public finances in order is to follow the guidance of the Rowell Commission." Such was the opinion expressed here last night by A. J. Wishart, Winnipeg, president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Canada, visiting Victoria in the course of the first Dominion tour to be undertaken by the head of that body.

Mr. Wishart, who is manager of one of the Winnipeg branches of the Royal Bank of Canada, believes that young men can do much to ease the growing pains of the present form of society.

"But the voice of the young men must be heard as a national voice so that it can be heard above the propaganda and lobbying and politics of today," he declared last night.

RELIEF COSTS

Drawing attention to the cost of unemployment relief, he stated that expenditure under that heading had continued to mount, and to date about $900,000,000 of public funds had been disbursed, with little to show for the expenditure, but the growing army of "chronic leaners." In the absence of any better suggestion, he claimed that the unemployment problem should be attacked along the lines of the Purvis Commission report.

Regarding the Rowell Commission itself, Mr. Wishart declared his belief that the commission was composed of men of integrity who would produce a document that would be worth while, and that the commissioners, being men of high standard, would not allow their respective politics to come into the question of the report.

NATIONAL UNITY

"When it is issued, the report should be supported by the young men of Canada," he said. "Undoubtedly there will be a readjustment of responsibilities and rights as between the Dominion and the lesser governments. The people of Winnipeg, for example, will be required to sacrifice something, and in this part of the country the people will have to forget some of their objectives, if national unity is to be brought into being. We must forget the local viewpoint, and look to the nation's needs.

"If democracy means anything, it means equality of educational opportunity, and we have made that impossible by financing our elementary schools from fluctuating revenues of areas of unequal wealth and unequal income. There should be some degree of equalization, and this could only be achieved by Dominion grants solely for equalization purposes, based on school population, financial needs, and other pertinent factors in the areas concerned."

PUBLIC DEBT

Mr. Wishart drew attention to the increasing accumulation of unproductive public debt, and declared that the Junior Chambers of Commerce could not go wrong if they demanded that governments should live within their public income, whatever effect that might have on the present general standard of living. "Elected representatives have not yet learned the elementary truth that the words 'debt' and 'burden,' which are used so often together, are also synonymous terms."

On the question of the powers of provincial governments, Mr. Wishart stated his belief that it was not the intention of the Fathers of Confederation that Canada should be a loosely-knit federation of autonomous provincial parliaments, but rather that the Dominion Parliament should have undisputed control of and responsibility for all matters affecting the general advantage and common interests of the people of Canada.

"The outlook of young men should be national rather than provincial, and they should press for the reduction of the present number of governing bodies, which is one of the influences localizing our outlook at present," he asserted. "Governments should be simplified and centralized. This is not only a financial necessity, but is also the best means of escaping sectional and racial prejudice."

INTERVENTION TREND

Mr Wishart deprecated the trend of governmental intervention in every sphere of activity, and predicted that that intervention would continue to increase, unless an intelligent and informed electorate were obtained.

Since leaving Winnipeg on January 17, Mr. Wishart, who is accompanied by his wife, has addressed meetings in the principal Western centres. He will address the Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock, in the Crystal Garden, at which Hon. W. J. Asselstine, Minister of Mines and of Trade and Industry, also is expected to speak. Mr. Wishart will explain the organization of the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Canada, its duties and its relations to the community.

Members' wives have been invited to attend the meeting, and during the evening a display will be given by the Victoria girls' drill team.

Mr. and Mrs. Wishart, who are staying at the Empress Hotel, will leave for Vancouver after the meeting, en route to Edmonton. Later, Mr. Wishart expects to visit the Eastern centres.

Testing the Car Drivers

Top, Inspector George A. Hood, of the Motor Vehicles Branch of the British Columbia Provincial Police, tests Miss Nancy Johnson, clerk in the testing divisin for double vision. Bottom, Constable W. A. Jaffray explains the equipment to Sergeant Sydney Wilkinson, of the Victoria Police Department.

ELKS CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

Reports Show Gain Made Over Previous Year—Officers for 1939 Chosen

The annual general meeting of the Victoria Elks' Club was held in the clubrooms Friday night, Percy C. Payne, exalted ruler, presiding.

The report of the auditors was presented to the meeting and adopted as read. It showed a very satisfactory financial condition, and a gain over the previous year.

Mr. Payne stated that during the past year thirty new members had been received, and that deaths and removals, etc., had reduced the net gain to sixteen.

The election of the board of governors resulted as follows: Vice-president, Charles Jasper; members, Dr. J. E. Gee, G. Yoxall, C. E. Milton, A. Colquhoun and W. C. Brynjolfson. J. C. Payne will again head the board as president.

H. Short, G. Payne and E. Jones acted as scrutineers for the election, and were given a hearty vote of thanks for their services.

INCREASE SEEN IN MEMBERSHIP

Encouraging Reports Made At Meeting of Central Baptist Church

The eleventh annual business meeting of the Central Baptist Church was held on Wednesday. Throughout the proceedings there was a note of thanksgiving and praise to God for His gracious dealings in love and providence.

A considerable increase was noted in the church membership, contributions to missions were the best on record, and the year closed with all current accounts paid, and $1,200 was paid on the building account.

Reports from the various organizations indicated that the past year had been a very successful one, with much spiritual blessing, particularly the Young People's groups, whose membership now totals well over 100. Sunday school departments also showed satisfactory progress.

Very promising reports from branch organizations on the Island—Luxton, Brentwood (which includes James Bay and Bamberton), the Gorge Sunday School and Duncan, the latter including work in outlying lumber camps, showed that those in charge were faithfully carrying on their duties. It was noted that visitors to the church during the past year had come from six provinces in Canada, several states in the United States, also from England, Ireland, France, Norway and China.

Much appreciation was expressed for the loyal and untiring efforts of the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. B. Rowell, and Mrs. Rowell.

At the close of the proceedings, a committee of ladies served refreshments.

KIPLING TALES READ TO CLUB

Members of Local Society Listen To Stories of Indians by Famous Writer

A well-attended meeting of the Victoria Kipling Society was held on Wednesday evening at the headquarters of the society over the Royal Bank of Canada. Four of Kipling's Indian stories were read by Mrs. G. R. Thomson. They all contained vivid pen pictures of phases of Indian life and well illustrated the diversity of Kipling's talent. The titles were: "The Pit they Digged," "Naboth," "Haunted Subalterns" and "Jews in Shushan." Comments on the stories were given by G. R. Thomson, who also recited the poem, "Old Mother Laurence." The members expressed their appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Thomson for their entertaining evening.

DONATION SENT

Notice was sent from the Central Society, London, England, that a request had been sent by them to the Lord's Commissioners of the Admiralty asking that a plaque of Kipling in bas relief should be placed in H.M.S. Kipling, one of a pair of destroyers recently launched at Glasgow. This request has been granted and a donation was sent from the Victoria Society toward the fund for executing the work.

A welcome visitor to the meeting was Mrs. E. T. G. Francis, Crawford Bay, Kootenay Lake, for many years a member of the Central Society, London.

A paper on "Rudyard Kipling" written by the president, A. E. G. Cornwell, has been printed in the journal of the Central Society, issued to members.

C. V. Milton will be the speaker at the February meeting.

COMOX CANADIAN CLUB HAS ANNUAL MEETING TO SELECT OFFICERS

CUMBERLAND, Jan. 28.—T. D. Layland, of Cumberland, was named president of Comox District Canadian Club at the annual meeting held at the Union Hotel here Friday evening. Dr. F. H. Moore, of Courtenay, is vice-president, and Mrs. Heber Cooke, of Courtenay, secretary-treasurer. To fill the position of honorary president, vacant from the death of the late Lieut.-Colonel C. W. Villiers, Dr. G. K. MacNaughton, of Cumberland, was chosen.

Heber Cooke, of Courtenay, retiring president, reported a membership of seventy—the highest for several years—and a credit balance of $14.70.

A brief report of the Island convention at Port Alberni last Summer was read by Mrs. Charles Reid, of Cumberland, last year's vice-president.

TO HOLD CONVENTION

CALGARY, Jan. 28 (CP).—H. S. Patterson, K.C., of Calgary, has been appointed chairman of the Calgary committee which will make local arrangements for the Alberta Conservative Convention, to be held here February 25, the first provincial convention since 1934.

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GERMAN ECONOMICS

There is a change coming over the face of German trade, which, in part, may explain the deposition of Dr. Schacht from his post as President of the Reichsbank. There can be no doubt that Germany is suffering from certain economic difficulties with which her monetary policy has something to do. For eleven months of 1938 she had an adverse balance of trade amounting to over 400,000,000 marks, as compared with a favorable balance of about 360,000,000 marks in 1937. Moreover, it is noted that the decline in German exports since the crisis of September last has become marked. This is despite the fact that the production of goods for export is now given priority over military needs. Moreover, export is subsidized.

The result of the decline in exports has made it difficult for Germany to secure the foreign exchange needed for the purpose of purchasing raw materials required for armament purposes and for other industrial programmes. An estimate made by one German authority is that "an amount equal to 50 per cent of the national income is absorbed by Government and party agencies." This means that inflation is ensuing. Moreover, Dr. Schacht has pointed out that with full employment Government expenditure, which cannot be financed from savings, "must inevitably lead to rising prices." Obviously then, Germany has to change the trend of her finances and expand her trade, which probably explains the change in the presidency of the Reichsbank. Under dictatorship no country can take the risk, except perhaps Russia, of lowering the standard of living.

HUMANITY'S NEED

It is ideas of government and conceptions that the State is all-powerful that are leading humanity into the Gotterdamerung, the dusk of the gods. These are promoting an eclipse of reason and even of personal affections. They inculcate the heart of man with fear, since their effort is to depose a God of Love. The work of Totalitarianism is to make men as the fishes of the sea. If the prophet Habakkuk had been commenting today on the iniquity of the times he would have said of the Totalitarian idea that "it takes up all of them with the angle, it catches them in its net. Therefore they sacrifice unto their net and burn incense unto their drag." It makes men ashamed of Christianity, because that doctrine is opposed to its ways of government. The god of State has been set up in the place of the God of Eternity. That is the vital issue of the times, not the mere struggle between a material Totalitarianism and a material Democracy.

It is the soul of nations that is sick, and it is a far more serious malady than the need of the body for physical replenishment. A sick body will seek any remedy, however desperate. It will seek even a doctrine of blood and war. What the sick soul wants is the spiritual vitamins that alone can purify the ills of the body politic. Instead of absorbing these, there is the spectacle in Europe that recalls the worst ferocities of the Middle Ages, where new gods of race are being enthroned, where conflicts are being stirred and passions aroused; the spectacle, indeed, which proclaims that civilization holds nothing in a material sense that can achieve its own salvation. Never was the lesson more obvious that the peace of humanity is dependent alone on what the Archbishop of Canterbury calls "the incoming of the rule of the unseen and eternal Kingdom of God."

Mankind is never static. Every nation, all the time, moves forward or retrogresses in spiritual grace. There are many, however, who through the ages regard the religion of this world as the law of life, and who have little or no concern in the things of the spirit. Now, however, there is the evidence in some nations of the imposition officially of disdain of any recognition of a life other than that decreed by man. Such a course of doctrine is reckoning without forces that persist in the lifestream of humanity, forces that rise far above material levels, that inspire a treasury of faith which may not become bankrupt, that exorcise fear from men's hearts, that prevent them from sacrificing unto their net and burning incense unto their drag. These are the forces that take issue with the State as a god. They are impervious to any plea that man-made commandments can give them hope for the future, that a religion of Totalitarianism can make them live truly in the present. They know that the highest worth of human life is to live in contact with the Divine. They have the knowledge that there is a life higher than any offered to mankind by any system of government. There is the summons within to shape life after a pattern of moral excellence, to live it by inner self-discipline to the laws of righteousness.

The power to regiment any nation for any given time is ephemeral, if that power is exercised with any attempt to exclude the gift of faith from the human heart. It is impossible to enforce that exclusion. It is the paradox, even of Totalitarianism, that those dragooned to the service of the State may be weakened in their belief in the validity of Christianity, but they continue to be influenced by those standards of life that owe their origin and power to the religion which they may be ordered officially to disown. Men for long may not be made mere pawns in the game of the State. That is the view that gives birth to the canker of self-centredness—that creeping selfishness that eats out the heart. There is always a revulsion of feeling, a realization that there must be some principles, some purpose, some meaning in the phantasmagoria of life. Such reaction is a rebellion in the heart against the setting up of the State as a supreme power. It is the reawakening of a glimmering of the knowledge that human affairs and men's character must be measured in the balance of the Divine judgment.

No Government, whether Democratic or Totalitarian, may exercise a permanent claim on men's hearts unless it is imbued with perennial wisdom, and wisdom, as one writer has put it, "is the power to see the world, ourselves and all our concerns, as God sees them, and to frame our lives in the light of that vision." A Government "that buildeth a town with blood, and stablisheth a city with iniquity" may not survive. It is not giving to a people by its course of conduct a spiritual interpretation of life. It may be said that government has nothing to do with spiritual things. The answer to that is that if it had, and placed them in the forefront of policy, it would do more than it ever yet has done to impart happiness to humanity. It would be an installment on earth of the governance of God throughout eternity. The welter of human opinions in the effort to secure better forms of government seems to be caused by some chaotic desire for material improvement alone. Man appears to be becoming mired in the bogs of inconclusiveness. The inability to express with precision and decision what lies in his heart of hearts is due to lack of appreciation of spiritual values in leadership, due to that trend of government which would superimpose the State on the Kingdom of God.

"Meanwhile," says Mr. George Digby writing in The Courier, "like the people of Israel, huddled in terror on the shores of an unknown sea, men are casting about for a new Moses to lead them back into the realm of sanity and the compassionate arms of a Living Personal God Who will wipe away their tears and protect them from the cold fury of an endless array of mathematical conceptions, soaring away into infinity upon a curved beam of light." Mr. Digby has recognized the need of humanity. It is for that wisdom which once won is retained, which may not be resigned in death itself; that wisdom which gives a treasury of riches in the heart, which ennobles the soul, which shines forever in the grace of a good life.

LORD NUFFIELD GOES HIMSELF

Lord Nuffield's present tour, which is to include South Africa, Australia and New Zealand, is for the purpose of reviving British motor-car exports, and he will probably be successful. Other firms seeking to extend trade send their commercial travelers to potential markets. Lord Nuffield goes himself. He has the crusading spirit strong in his blood. He knows there is strenuous competition in the motoring industry as well as in everything else. He is aware that in the Overseas Dominions foreign motor cars have cut largely into a trade which Great Britain desires to retain. It is fairly certain that he will return home with plans prepared for regaining lost British markets. Success has made him an optimist, and he has proved himself one of the most successful men of modern times. "There are lots of people," says Lord Nuffield, "who can tell you why a thing can't be done. I want someone who can show me how it can be done." He has usually been able to prove to himself the efficacy of his own recipes. Perhaps that is why he is trusting himself as an ambassador of trade within the Empire.

TO MARY

Thinking of you is natural now as breathing.
  You move with the wind's walking everywhere.
I fill my lungs with you and feel you wreathing
  My face in that loved element the air:
Even as you its life is all in touch.
  Handlike wanting but to be aware
Of all a woman or a wind can clutch
  I watch a blown leaf bend. I see you there.

My eyes hunger for their far taste of you.
  I have not learned the patience of the year,
Waiting a season till the change is due.
  I know the earth is warm where your foot stands,
I know that good is but to have you here
  And all our human truth the touch of hands.

—Paul Engle, in The Saturday Review of Literature.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., January 28, 1939.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

A moderate depression is centred over Queen Charlotte Islands. The weather has been mild on the Coast, where showers have occurred, while throughout the Interior of British Columbia scattered snowfalls are reported.

It has become cold in the Prairie Provinces.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min.	Max.
Victoria	.01	42	48
Nanaimo	-	34	47
Vancouver	Trace	38	50
Kamloops	Trace	30	36
Prince George	.05	18	34
Estevan Point	.10	40	44
Prince Rupert		32	40
Langara	.06	34	36
Atlin		2°	4
Dawson		44°	34°
Seattle	.03	44	48
Portland	.05	42	46
San Francisco		48	56
Spokane	Trace	32	42
Los Angeles	..	50	62
Penticton	..	28	..
Vernon	..	26	..
Kelowna	..	26	41
Grand Forks	.05	26	36
Nelson	.30	26	33
Kaslo		24	
Cranbrook	.02	17	35
Calgary	..		20
Edmonton	..	4	14
Swift Current	..	4	
Moose Jaw	..	4	14
Prince Albert	..	2°	6
Qu'Appelle	..	0	12
Winnipeg	..	10°	2°

° Below zero.

SATURDAY

Minimum	42
Maximum	48
Average	45
Minimum on the grass	39

Weather, raining; sunshine, Jan. 28, 4 hrs. 36 min.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.80; wind, SW., 6 miles; raining.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.80; wind, SE., 8 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.76; calm; cloudy.

Prince George—Barometer, 29.62; wind, N., 4 miles; fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.46, wind, NW., 4 miles; cloudy.

Langara—Barometer, 29.34; wind, E., 18 miles; raining.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.64; wind, SE., 12 miles; raining.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.74; wind, S., 12 miles; raining.

Portland—Barometer, 29.96; wind, S., 10 miles; raining.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.86; wind, W., 14 miles; raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.14, wind, W., 16 miles, cloudy.

Note and Comment

By Sandham Graves

A curious team, my typewriter and I. Between us we have pounded out 690 columns, more or less, in 690 working days; but I don't think either of us knows how that was done. I certainly don't. I suspect the typewriter has the secret, but it will never tell me. Secretive is my typewriter. I never know whether it is going to write for me or not.

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Some days, it is most affable and responsive; and will accede to any proposal at all. On other days, it is moody and sulky; and deliberately jams its keys, with stubborn disregard for our joint responsibilities. Today is such an example. It sits there grinning at me with a hard, cynical leer. It knows well how I hate cynicism.

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I think the difficulty lies over the subject matter. I want to write "On to San Francisco," and it wants to write "Prologue to War." I tried to compromise on "Tourists I Have Met," but it countered with "Command of the Air." We don't seem to be able to get together on anything today. For long I have known the machine had a mind of its own. There have been many instances of that.

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There was, for instance, the time I wanted to bring the bronze soldier down from his pedestal at the War Memorial and have a little chat with him. The typewriter let me get nicely started, and then ran away with the piece. It turned it into a straight tragedy; killed a man, and left him to die at the foot of the pedestal! It wasn't until today, however, that I suspected the machine had a temper; and what a temper!

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I started "On to San Francisco," and it wrote "Not So, Franco." You know, that is plain propaganda; part of its "Prologue to War" piece, no doubt. I rewrote the line. The typewriter waited until I had completed it; then it reached up with a paper roller and tore the sheet in half. Experience has taught me never to press my friend—my cynical, spacebar friend—too far. You see, it can always hit back.

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The typewriter can lay for me, when I am not looking. It is not just an eye for an eye, with the typewriter. It can be an "o" for an "i," or worse. Unless you are in the publishing business, you have no idea of what that can do to you. As it is, I won't risk it. We'll leave the San Francisco thing alone, today. On the other hand, I won't write the "Prologue to War" either. I have a temper, too.

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It would be terrible to be ruled by a typewriter. It would be no life at all. It would be QWERTY UIOP½ in the morning, and ASDFGH JKL:¢ in the afternoon. That is how a typewriter thinks the alphabet should go; with ZXCVBN M?.¾ as the last course. Its arithmetic is queer, too. It won't start with a 1. It begins with a 2, and you have to pick the ones out of the alphabet. There are typewriters, of course, that write by themselves, automatically. But they look just like that, too.

* * *

No, my machine needs me; and I need my machine. It is a fair partnership; but today it won't work. We cannot get together on the thing. I'm sorry. I wanted to tell you about Treasure Island; about the little white sugar-cubes, piled one on the other, as you come down on San Francisco Bay from the air; of the broad sweep of Market Street, with its famous restaurants; of the British Columbia exhibit at the fair. My typewriter is sorry, too. I think it really knows better.

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It is practically pleading with me to write about San Francisco, now. But I won't do it. Give in to a typewriter once, and you will spend the rest of your life doing that. No I will remain adamant. Not another word. Not one. None!

TRAINING MORE PILOTS

LONDON, Jan. 28 (AP).—The air council appealed to British employers to release men enrolled as Royal Air Force reserve and volunteer pilots for "continuous training" over periods up to six months. The men affected would operate in first line air force squadrons in the event of war.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

JANUARY

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1939.

Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set	Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set
1	8 06	16 28	16	8 00	16 46
2	8 06	16 29	17	7 59	16 46
3	8 06	16 30	18	7 58	16 48
4	8 06	16 21	19	7 58	16 51
5	8 05	16 33	20	7 57	16 52
6	8 05	16 33	21	7 56	16 53
7	8 05	16 34	22	7 55	16 55
8	8 05	13 36	23	7 54	16 57
9	8 04	16 37	24	7 53	16 58
10	8 04	16 38	25	7 52	17 00
11	8 03	16 40	26	7 51	17 01
12	8 03	16 41	27	7 50	17 03
13	8 02	16 42	28	7 48	17 06
14	8 01	16 43	29	7 48	17 06
15	8 01	16 45	30	7 46	17 08
			31	7 45	17 09

Dean Speaks to Canadian Clubs Of Island Centres

QUALICUM BEACH, Jan. 28.—Very Rev. Spencer Elliott, Dean of Columbia, was the speaker at the Qualicum and District Canadian Club meeting at the Community Hall here on Thursday afternoon, his topic being "The Dramatic Elements of Life." As in the drama, he said, so in our lives events tend continually to develop into a crisis, followed by a readjustment, and from such experiences we rise to true knowledge and dignity. This tendency, he said, was admirably illustrated in the plays of Shakespeare, and he quoted many instances development of the famous characters through such crises, with interesting excerpts from the dialogue.

R. I. Knight, president of the club, introduced the speaker, and the audience was one of the largest in the club's history. The dean left after the meeting for Courtenay, where he addressed the branch in the evening.

The Observation Car

By THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Skeleton in Closet

We are indebted to Clem, the Fort Street poet, for handing in the following poem from Major "T.N.": "Poor father has the jitters and mother has the blues, And all the other motorists are shaking in their shoes; The tension is terrific, but we're hoping for the best. For the time is fast approaching to take the driving test. Father has a booklet which he studies night and day, And mother hears his lessons in the good old fashioned way; She asks him all the questions, but he wears a worried look, For he simply cannot answer exactly as the book. The poor chap can't remember the proper candlepower for lamps at front and rear, he struggles hour by hour to get the blessed answers in sequence in his brain, But trips over "para" forty-two and has to start again. His nerves are going haywire, his eyes begin to blink, His mouth is always moving like a hen about to drink; We hold our thumbs and hope he'll pass, for then we'll have a rest and hold a celebration, when father's passed his test."—G.B.

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Hail, Alma Mater

Seventy-five years—many institutions, organizations and individuals have reached this venerable age, but none can look back with more pride of good accomplished progress made, and service rendered than St. Louis College. Last week the school observed its Diamond Jubilee, and this evening some 300 former pupils will gather together to recall old times and tell stories, that may have been told on many occasions since, of the time when they were struggling to receive an education. Although we never had the privilege of placing our knees underneath a desk in the present fine structure we can dream of many carefree—and vexing days—in the old school that stood at the head of Vancouver Street from 1864 to 1931. So, to our alma mater, a toast! And may she continue for another three-quarters of a century, under the capable leadership of the Christian Brothers of Ireland.—W.I.F.

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Glancing Over Sport

Do you know that Jockey Don Meade, now staging one of the finest comebacks in racing history, turned down an offer to ride the great Seabiscuit in the Santa Anita $100,000 Handicap? His many victories at the Hialeah Park is the talk of turfdom and he'd sooner stay there than travel West for the big event . . . Rumors have it that Washington will be the eighth team in the National Hockey League next season and not Cleveland as previously proposed . . . Next month big Chuck Chapman, captain of the Domino basketball team and the lad who guided Victoria to its only two Canadian titles, will ankle down the hoop court which leads to the altar. He is marrying a former player, Elly Miles, who occupies a seat near the press box every game. Congratulations and good luck, Chuck . . . Referee Art Donovan says that Joe Louis would beat Jack Dempsey in his prime. Well, my money would certainly be on the former champion's nose all the way . . . In a recent test made by experts it was discovered that a basketball player covers nearly seven miles in the average game . . . I see where Canada is challenging again for the tennis mug known as the Davis Cup. They were blanked last year, 5-0, so I say it's just a pure waste of time, money and energy.—J.D.

FINAL TRIBUTE PAID AT RITES

Many Are Present at Funeral Services for Charles Henry Revercomb

A large number of friends and members of various organizations with which the deceased had for many years been associated assembled yesterday afternoon in the Thomson Funeral Home to pay their last tributes to the memory of Charles Henry Revercomb. The funeral was under the direction of the Masonic Order, with which Mr. Revercomb had long been actively associated. Camosun Lodge, No. 60, A.F. & A.M., Victoria, of which Mr. Revercomb was a member, had charge of the services, both at the funeral home and at the graveside in the Colwood Burial Park.

Under the charge of Worshipful Brother R. Jenkins, of Camosun Lodge, the impressive service of the order was conducted, with the membership of the lodge joining and assisting in the ritual. The hymns sung were "Lead, Kindly Light" and "Abide With Me."

The pallbearers, all drawn from the lodge, were as follows: P.M. H. F. Davis, P.M. E. E. Coady Johnson, Bro. William Duncan, Bro. E. A. Bleathman, P.M. E. A. Weston and P.M. H. F. Davis.

The funeral home was filled to its capacity by the many who gathered to show their respect for Mr. Revercomb, who in his lifetime had always been ready to lend his support to the various organizations with which he identified himself.

There was an immense mass of floral tributes, testifying to the esteem in which the deceased was held in the community.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length.

A CORONATION MEDAL

Sir,—In today's issue of your paper, in the "Observation Car," mention is made of a 1911 Coronation medal being returned to its owner.

May I take this means of expressing my thanks to Mr. Douglas Bruce, of R.R. 3, Agnes Road, for returning to me the medal on Sunday last.

In 1911 I was a member of the Coronation contingent of the R.N.W.M. Police. The medals were presented to us at Buckingham Palace personally by the late King George V.

In 1913, in a parade at Edmonton, the medal became detached from its stem and was lost on Jasper Avenue. I advertised the loss, but heard nothing of it till last Sunday when Mr. Douglas Bruce brought it to my house, which action I very much appreciate. HUBERT THORNE.

2184 Hattie Street, Oak Bay, B.C.,
January 25, 1939.

HANDEL'S "MESSIAH"

Sir,—The letter of your correspondent, Mr. John Christie, betrays a divided "taste" and also a too "Shavian" flavor. He likes the latest "up-do" style—and then again he doesn't.

There are lots of tunes, hymns, anthems, besides this oratorio, which would go better today by being stepped up a little. The "Old Hundredth" and our National Anthem ("God Save the King"), as sung hereabouts, would both be better for having their faces lifted a bit. J. STAFFORD.

The Albany Hotel, Victoria, B.C.,
January 28, 1939.

WHERE PRESS CONTROLLED

LIMA, Jan. 28 (AP).—The Peruvian Government decreed today that newspapers which fail to publish the Government's official communiques will be fined from 100 up to 10,000 soles ($20.25 to $2,025), payable within twenty-four hours. If the fine is not paid, the Interior Ministry is empowered to close the newspaper involved. The fines will be devoted to Social Service.

OVERSEAS LEAGUE

The Overseas League will meet on Monday, February 6, in Spencer's dining-room at 3:30 p.m., when Dean Spencer Elliott will be the speaker.

According to Culbertson

"Dear Mr. Culbertson—I felt like the star quarter back who not only calls a spectacular play but actually catches the pass that wins the game I was playing in a team-of-four match, before kibitzers three deep, when the following hand came up:

"South, dealer.
"Neither side vulnerable

NORTH
♠ Q 6
♥ J 7 2
♦ A K J 8 4 3
♣ Q 8

WEST
♠ 9 2
♥ 9 6 5 3
♦ 10
♣ A J 9 7 6 2

EAST
♠ 4
♥ Q 10 8 4
♦ Q 7 6
♣ K 10 5 4 3

SOUTH
♠ A K J 10 8 7 5 3
♥ A K
♦ 9 5 2
♣ —

"The bidding:

South	West	North	East
2 ♠	Pass	3 ♦	Pass
3 ♠	Pass	4 ♦	Pass
4 NT	Pass	6 ♦	Pass
6 ♠	Pass	7 ♠ (final bid)	

"I think my partner (North) bid very well in taking me to seven, not that I feel there were any flies on me.

"West opened the club ace (with any other opening lead the contract could not be made, but not to open it would be double dummy, I think). I ruffed and drew two rounds of trumps, played over to the ace of diamonds, and re-entered my hand with the heart ace. I then cashed the king of hearts and played three of my trumps, discarding diamonds from dummy.

"At this point dummy held heart jack, diamonds K-J, club queen. I held spades 7-5, diamonds 9-5. I had to decide how to play the diamonds. Cashing dummy's diamond king would win if each of the opponents had one (this occurs half the time). If West had both it would lose. If East had both it would lose if I played the diamond now.

"But I saw a way to make the hand (without hurting my chances if the diamonds were divided) even if East held both diamonds, provided that he also held certain other cards. East probably held the club king in view of the opening lead. If he also held the heart queen and the diamond queen-seven, a trump lead (on which I would discard the diamond jack) would squeeze him. If he discarded the high heart or club dummy's heart or club would be good. If he discarded a diamond I would lead to dummy's king, dropping the queen, re-enter my hand by ruffing with my last trump, and cash my diamond which would now be high. If the diamonds were evenly divided the two diamonds would fall as I played to dummy's king and my cards would be good.

"East did hold all these cards as you can see. He discarded the low diamond and I made the hand. Some of the kibitzers humorously (I hope) remarked that I must have peeked but since they had trouble understanding the play even after I explained it I'm sure you will agree that it took much more than good eyesight.—S.S., New York."

There isn't much that I can add to this description of a beautifully bid, played, and analyzed hand. Declarer used a variety of trump squeeze combined with a Vienna coup. It will be noted that though it was unlikely that West should hold all the key cards in view of his opening lead, the squeeze would have operated against him if he had held them as well as it actually did against East.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily Colonist of January 29, 1889)

High Hats Must Go — A bill has been introduced in the Assembly at Carson, Nevada, calculated to promote the pleasure of people visiting public places of amusement. One of the provisions of the bill is that no hats or bonnets are to extend over three inches from the head. The bill has met with much approbation in Nevada, and there is talk of introducing another bill to compel women to remove their hats or bonnets while in places of amusement. If such a bill was introduced in the Legislature here, it would find many warm supporters among the sterner sex who visit theatres and concert halls.

Appointment Made—C. R. Graves has received the appointment of librarian of the House of Assembly.

Law Examinations—W. H. Mason, Victoria; L. Eckstein, Westminster, and J. N. Muir, Vancouver, successfully passed examinations yesterday as barristers. C. C. Pemberton, Victoria, passed as solicitor. The examiners were Theo Davie, Q.C., and D. M. Eberts.

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Tides at Victoria

JANUARY

Time of tides (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1939.

Date	Time H M	H't Ft.	Time H M	H't Ft.	Time H M	H't Ft.	Time H M	H't Ft.
1			6 12	9 4			18 17	2 8
2			10 24	9 6			18 55	2 1
3			11 04	10 0			19 35	1 4
4			11 48	10 1			20 15	0 9
5	6 30	8 4	7 22	8 3	13 31	10 1	20 55	0 7
6	5 37	8 4	8 38	8 0	13 18	9 8	21 35	0 6
7	5 55	8 6	9 4	7 7	14 08	9 3	22 18	1 2
8	6 22	8 8	[illegible] 47	7 3	15 03	8 6	23 00	2 0
9	6 53	8 [illegible]	11 57	6 7	16 06	7 6	23 43	3 3
10	7 25	9 [illegible]	13 11	6 1	17 30	7 [illegible]		
11	0 23	4 1	7 58	9 1	14 36	5 3	19 44	8 4
12	0 58	5 1	8 36	9 2	15 38	4 5	22 29	8 2
13	1 16	6 2	8 55	9 2	16 38	3 6		
14			9 22	9 4	17 33	3 3		
15			6 50	9 2	16 23	2 8		
16			10 33	9 2	19 06	2 4		
17	5 15	3 6	6 55	8 5	10 57	3 2	13 42	3 2
18	5 20	6 7	7 53	8 5	[illegible] 36	6 2	20 16	3 1
19	5 46	8 6	8 38	8 4	12 15	6 0	20 48	3 0
20	6 00	8 5	9 [illegible]	8 0	12 53	6 6	21 20	3 2
21	6 08	8 5	9 46	7 8	13 32	8 5	21 50	3 5
22	6 17	8 3	10 22	7 4	14 10	3 1	22 21	3 8
23	6 37	8 3	11 18	7 1	14 55	7 7	22 50	4 4
24	6 44	8 3	12 10	6 3	15 45	7 3	23 16	5 0
25	7 00	8 4	12 03	6 2	16 52	6 7	23 40	4 7
26	7 20	8 6	14 02	5 6	16 34	6 3	23 53	3 4
27	7 35	8 [illegible]	14 58	4 6				
28	7 50	8 6	15 53	4 2				
29	8 15	9 2	16 45	3 4				
30	8 50	9 4	17 36	2 7				
31	3 40	6 6	18 25	3.1				

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian West. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of low water on the sill of the Esquimalt Drydock, add 18.3 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Director of Housing Well Satisfied With Home Building Here

F. W. Nicholls Impressed With Substantial Character of Construction Under National Scheme—Says Work Compares With Best Elsewhere

HOMES constructed in Victoria under the National Housing Scheme of the Dominion Government are of a much more substantial character than those seen in some other parts of Canada, according to F. W. Nicholls, Ottawa, director of operations under the Federal plan, who is visiting Victoria on an inspection tour of the main centres across Canada.

In company with Colonel F. Brooke Stephenson, with whom he is spending the week-end, Mr. Nicholls yesterday inspected some of the houses built under the plan, and stated that he was greatly impressed with the substantial nature of the work, which compared with the best in other parts of the Dominion.

"I feel that they are doing a good job in Victoria under the new plan," he declared.

WILL BE CONTINUED

Mr. Nicholls thinks that the scheme is one that is here to remain. He pointed out that the number of houses already erected under the plan was little, if any over the replacement requirements from the ravages of fire. He therefore expected that the work would have to continue at least for a long time to come.

In the Victoria district, there had been $340,000 spent under the plan to the end of December representing 102 units. Winnipeg district had 217 units in the same time. In Ontario there had been over $13,000,000 spent under the plan. In Victoria in 1937 there was only one loan taken up. In 1938 these loans jumped to fifteen. Oak Bay, on the other hand, had thirteen loans taken in 1937, with forty-nine in the following year. He pointed out also that in Oak Bay some of the loans ran as high as $7,000 and $8,000. Saanich jumped from two loans in 1937 to nineteen the following year.

MODELS TO BE SHOWN

Six model houses of varying types and costs are being sent here and will be placed on display by the local committee.

Under the home improvement plan, which was launched by the Government in 1935, ahead of the home construction scheme, Victoria made a good showing. There were 481 places remodelled at a cost of $161,082, while Esquimalt had twenty altered at a cost of $6,506 and Oak Bay had seventeen remodelled at a cost of $4,625, representing in the total 518 places altered at a total cost of $172,213.

Mr. Nicholls was immediately pleased to be able to visit Victoria in mid-Winter. He said that he had heard a great deal about picking flowers in Victoria in what is called Winter, but he indicated without absolutely saying as much, that he had had considerable mental reservation regarding the situation.

"Now I can tell them in the East that it is really true," said the visitor, who marvelled at the mild conditions prevailing.

CHURCH CLOSES SUCCESSFUL YEAR

Garden City Congregation Hears Encouraging Reports—Board of Stewards Re-elected

The annual meeting of Garden City United Church was held recently, with the pastor, Rev. William Allan, in the chair. There was a large attendance of members present, and encouraging reports were read showing a healthy advance in all activities. W. R. Pargiter gave the secretarial report and T. Goodwin, of the board of session, stated that a very high average congregation had attended during the year.

The Sunday school report by F. Thomas showed of growth under the leadership of Miss Muriel Rudd. A. P. Fryatt, for the board of stewards, reported that all obligations had been fully met with an increase in givings during the year. Mrs. M. Pebernat presented the choir report, and Miss Elsie Fryatt, the accompanist, was presented, in the name of the choir and congregation, with a sum of money and an address of appreciation for her faithful services. Mrs. A. P. Fryatt, president of the W.A., reported a year of successful activity, having raised the sum of $230.

The following members were re-elected to the board of stewards, W. R. Pargiter, J. Jones and A. P. Fryatt.

A special vote of thanks was extended to Mr. and Mrs. Allan for their many years of service, with the unanimous request that they continue their ministry here.

Pains in Back Gone in 3 Hours

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TO HOLD REUNION BANQUET TONIGHT

Former Pupils of St. Louis College To Assemble at Shrine Auditorium, View Street

Tonight at 6 o'clock, in the Shrine Auditorium, the jubilee celebrations in connection with the seventy-fifth anniversary of St. Louis College will conclude with a grand reunion banquet for past pupils and friends of the school. Over 300 are expected to be present including Rt. Rev. G. C. Murray, Bishop of Saskatoon, and Most Rev. John C. Cody, D.D., Bishop of Victoria.

Owing to the large numbers expected, it was necessary to cancel the original arrangement to have the reunion at the school and stage it instead at the Shrine Auditorium, 1037 View Street. A programme of an informal and entertaining nature has been arranged by Frank J. Sehl, an old pupil of the school. Among the speakers will be Bishop Murray, Bishop Cody, Rev. Brother E. B. Walsh and Leo Sweeney, Vancouver. A few of the real old-timers may give their reminiscences of the old Victoria days. Some of the present pupils, who for the past three days have appeared in the jubilee concert, will be there to entertain, in addition to "Yorkie," ventriloquist.

As many friends interested in the work of the school who are not past-pupils are anxious to be present, it will not be necessary for them to have an invitation, but in order to be sure of a place, they are asked to telephone any of the following: Brother English, Garden 4930; Frank Sehl, Empire 8010; V. W. W. Baines, Empire 1366; C. J. Collins, Garden 4536. Any past-pupil who has not already received an invitation should notify any of the foregoing committee if he intends to be present.

Dean Lectures At Courtenay

COURTENAY, Jan. 28.—"The pioneer of this generation will be the man who can see an objective and reach it," Dean F. M. Clement, faculty of agriculture, U.B.C., told members of the rural occupational school at the Agricultural Hall this week. Howard Cox was in the chair.

Dean Clement briefly outlined the course of education from the old Scottish idea of "something you didn't want to do at a time you didn't want to do it"—another name for discipline—to the more pleasant form of doing something you did want to do when you wanted to do it, whereby knowledge was unconsciously absorbed.

Obituary

BRIDGEN — There passed away yesterday at Colquitz, William Bridgen, aged twenty-seven years, a native of the United States and a resident of Colquitz for the past two years. The funeral will be held on Tuesday morning at 8:45 from the Thomson Funeral Home. The cortege will proceed to Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Esquimalt, where Mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock, Rev. Father A. B. Wood celebrant. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

GRAHAME—Mrs. Annie Grahame, aged fifty years, of Vancouver, died here yesterday morning. Mrs. Grahame was born in Nanaimo and had been a resident of Victoria for three months. She leaves one son, John Stewart Grahame, Vancouver; her father, John D. Stewart, Nanaimo, and one sister, Mrs. J. T. Clark, Victoria. The remains are resting at McCall Bros. Funeral Home and will be forwarded on tonight's boat to Vancouver, where services will be held in Simmons & McBride Funeral Chapel.

PENKETH—The funeral of George Penketh will be held tomorrow afternoon, the cortege leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock, proceeding to St. John's Church, where services will be conducted by Rev. Canon Chadwick at 2:15. Interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

JOHN — There was a large attendance of sympathizing friends at the funeral of Mrs. Catherine Janet John, held yesterday afternoon from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Rev. Canon Chadwick conducted the services and the hymns, "Abide With Me" and "On the Resurrection Morning," were sung. An abundance of beautiful floral tributes was received. The following were the pallbearers: Dr. Cecil Clayton, James Stuart Yates, Charles V. Embleton, Godfrey W. Smith, T. Harvey Banford and M. Albert Wylde. The remains were laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

To Give Tourist Information at Fair

Chatting with George I. Warren, Commissioner of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, in the conservatory of the Empress Hotel are Misses Berneita Gunthorpe, Aileen McCormick and Joan Conti, of the Gray Line, San Francisco. The young ladies paid a visit to Victoria last week in order that they might secure first-hand information on this city's tourist attractions, which they will dispense from an information booth in the Travel Building at the San Francisco Exposition.

CANCER UNIT FORMED

CUMBERLAND, Jan. 28.—A unit of the British Columbia Cancer Institute was formed here this week at a meeting held at Cumberland General Hospital. Officers named were: President and chairman, Dr. E. R. Hicks; secretary, Mrs. J. Cameron; treasurer, Rev. J. Herdman; advisory committee, Dr. G. K. MacNaughton, W. P. Symons.

WILL DISCUSS HIGHWAY PLAN

F. B. Chettleburgh to Address Gyros on Proposed Road to Alaska

CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY — Gyro Club, luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12:10 p.m.

TUESDAY — Kiwanis Club, luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12:10 p.m.

THURSDAY — Rotary Club, luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12:10 p.m.; Kinsman Club, dinner meeting, Spencer's dining-room, 6:15 p.m.

The proposed highway to Alaska will be the subject of an address by F. B. Chettleburgh at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Gyro Club tomorrow. Mr. Chettleburgh has traveled extensively in British Columbia and Alaska, and has lived in the North for the past twenty-five years.

Guest speaker at the luncheon meeting of the Kiwanis Club on Tuesday will be Gordon Hilker, of Hilker Attractions, Ltd., Vancouver.

Something out of the ordinary has been arranged for the Rotary Club's luncheon meeting on Thursday. There will be no speakers but a special entertainment programme, arranged by J. K. Hodges, will be presented.

The regular dinner meeting of the Kinsman Club will be held on Thursday evening, and the speaker will be announced later.

THE MANLY ART

BAXTER SPRINGS, Kas., Jan. 28 (AP).—C. W. Crubaugh, who works with wire for a living and thread for entertainment, has crocheted 21,370 feet of thread (that's 250 feet more than four miles) into a bedspread. An electrician, Crubaugh, fifty-nine, crochets for "the good it does my nerves."

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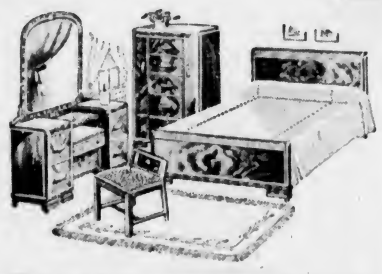

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CANADIAN LEGION GROWING RAPIDLY

An increase in membership of the Canadian Legion of 1,000 a month, and in branches and auxiliaries to the extent of six every month, and total enrolled membership of 178,941 was the cheerful picture presented by the secretary, J. R. Bowler, to the semi-annual conference last September of the Dominion Executive Council. In all, there are 1,580 branches and auxiliaries of the Legion in Canada and the United States, distributed between 1,111 branches and 469 auxiliaries.

A glance at the territory covered by those units reveals the interesting information that west of the Great Lakes the Legion finds a larger number of branches than in Eastern Canada. In the four Western provinces, there are 584 branches and 250 auxiliaries, against 417 branches and 151 auxiliaries in the five Eastern provinces. Also it is gratifying to note the existence of no fewer than 110 branches and sixty-eight auxiliaries of the Legion in the United States.

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LOUIS WOULD BEAT DEMPSEY SAYS REFEREE

Arthur Donovan Explains Reason for Making Such A Statement

By GAYLE TALBOT
Associated Press Staff Writer.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—Anybody who wants to get tough about the suggestion Joe Louis could have whipped Jack Dempsey when the old mauler was in his prime is invited to take the matter up with Arthur Donovan, who has refereed eight of the present champion's fights, including the John Henry Lewis affair Wednesday night.

Donovan, a large, salty individual and a boxing instructor during business hours, says the Joe Louis of today is the greatest fighter who ever drew on a glove, and that he would have given even the Dempsey of Toledo a whaling.

"I still say I know more about what Joe Louis does to a man than anybody else because I've been right next to him while he was doing it," said Donovan. "Not only seeing it but hearing his blows land. I say that the Joe Louis who smashed up Schmeling and John Henry Lewis could have beaten any fighter who ever lived, including Dempsey.

HAS EVERYTHING

"What has he got that Dempsey didn't have? He has everything. Dempsey had only strength and speed and a punch, but not a harder punch than Joe's. Dempsey was not a natural fighter. Why, that left jab of Joe's alone would have been enough to beat him."

"Louis is a much greater fighter now than he was against Tommy Farr. He still was a little timid when he met Tommy. He hadn't got over that knockout by Schmeling, and he didn't quite consider himself the champion. All he had on his mind was another shot at Schmeling, and he wasn't taking any chances until he got it. Now he knows what he can do, and I say he's terrific."

Announcements

Is There a Woman whose soul is so dead to beauty that she is able to remain indifferent to that most ugly of disfigurements, superfluous hair? No! In her heart she just hates it — but fears, which are groundless, often prevent her from taking the necessary steps to have it removed. Call and see Miss Hanman. Fear may be your companion when you enter her office, but happiness and relief will accompany you when you leave. 503 Sayward Building, Victoria. Phone G 7642.

Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club presents Mrs. Constance Spry, of London, England, in an illustrated lecture, "The Art of Flower Arrangement," Empress Hotel, Saturday, February 4, 3 p.m. Tickets at Vogue Gift Shop, opposite Kirkham's. Doors open at 2:15 p.m.

"Trial by Jury" (Gilbert and Sullivan), by permission of Mr. D'Oyly Carte, to be presented by the First United Church Choir in church schoolroom, Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 1 and 2, at 8 p.m. Tickets, 25 cents, to be had from choir members.

Special public lecture on Co-operatives, Monday, January 30, 8:15 p.m., Central Junior High School. Speaker, Rev. MacDonald of St. Francis Xavier University Extension Department. Auspices, University Extension Association.

2nd Bn. (M.G.) Canadian Scottish Regiment Pipes and Drums Annual Dance, Foresters' Hall, Cormorant Street, Friday, February 17. Dancing, 9-1. Irvine's Orchestra. Refreshments. Admission, 35 cents.

We Appeal for Clothes and superfluities to raise money by rummage and superfluities sale to be held shortly. Will call for, or please send to Medical Aid for China, 1426 Government, 2 to 5 p.m. E 4725.

Dr. Charles A. Watson wishes to announce he has moved his office to the second floor of the Pemberton Building, Room 229. Phone No. G 4812.

Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, January 31, 2:45 p.m. Mrs. A. M. Young: "Grass," a nation's battle for existence. Soloist, Mrs. Goodwin.

Rummage Sale—Sponsored by "Fellowship Circle" King's Daughters, Wednesday, Feb. 1, Memorial Hall, Vancouver Street at 2:30.

Bridge Party—Victoria Golf Club, Wednesday, February 8, at 8 o'clock. Tickets, 75c.

Cloudy film on furniture, woodwork disappears when "SHEEN" is used. 71 local stores sell "Sheen."

Gwendoline Harper, Pianiste, in recital Tuesday, February 21. Tickets at Fletcher Bros., 55 cents.

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DEATH TOLL FROM DISASTER MOUNTS

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While every available relief worker labored to aid the survivors, unconfirmed radio reports said Liamro Volcano, 150 miles south of Chillan, had sprung into activity. The 10,037-foot peak is in a sparsely-inhabited region near the Argentine frontier.

Evacuation of the cities which suffered the most from Tuesday's earthquake was ordered. The most seriously injured were taken to nearby cities in planes, autos or ox-drawn carts, while others were removed aboard the British cruisers Exeter and Ajax from the Concepcion-Talcahuano region.

200 BODIES LOCATED

In Cauquenes, where only five of the 6,500 inhabitants' houses were left intact, all workmen were conscripted to move debris and within a few hours 200 bodies had been recovered.

President Pedro Aguirre Cerda returned to Santiago from a tour of the quake area and prepared to call a special session of Congress to approve emergency relief measures.

While church bells tolled during services in memory of the victims, residents of Santiago prepared to receive 3,000 orphans from the quake zone.

The director of the El Salto Observatory, near Santiago, declared the quake Tuesday night, was of degree 11 in intensity, a rare occurrence in history.

NO WARNING TREMORS

Survivors said the quake came in one sharp devastating shock, without preceding tremors which would have warned them to seek safety in the open.

Cauquenes experienced minor earth shocks at intervals throughout last night, but there was no sign of fright among rescue workers digging grimly in the ruins of the city for bodies of victims of Tuesday's disaster.

Most Rev. Dr. Done Jose Horacio Campillo Infante, Archbishop of Santiago, notified the Government he would take personal charge of feeding and clothing all children left homeless.

University Extension Lecture Monday Night

The Victoria University Extension Association will sponsor a lecture on "Co-operatives," with Rev. J. D. Nelson MacDonald as speaker, on Monday evening at 8:15, in the Central Junior High School. The lecture will be additional to the regular series now being conducted.

Mr. MacDonald has been associated with the co-operative movement since 1926 and is one of the regular lecturers on this subject for St. Francis Xavier University's extension department at Antigonish, Nova Scotia. He has been lecturing at Vancouver on a three-day course in co-operation for British Columbia fishermen.

The public is invited to attend the lecture on Monday evening.

BILLIARDS

Standings, games for this week and last week's results in the Inter-Service Billiard League follow:

"A" DIVISION

	P.	W.	L.	P.
Pro Patria	6	6	0	6
Army and Navy	6	0	6	0

High Break—A. McKittrick, 48.

"B" DIVISION

	P.	W.	L.	P.
Britannia	6	5	1	5
Army and Navy	6	3	3	3
Pro Patria	6	1	5	1

High Break—G. Province, 36.

"C" DIVISION

	P.	W.	L.	P.
Army and Navy	4	7	2	7
Pro Patria	9	5	4	5
Britannia	6	3	6	3
Naval Veterans	9	3	6	3

High Break—H. Henson, 34.

Games for this week:

"A" Division—Army and Navy vs. Pro Patria.

"B" Division—Britannia vs. Army and Navy.

"C" Division—Pro Patria vs. Naval Veterans; Army and Navy vs. Britannia.

"A" DIVISION

Pro Patria		Army and Navy	
S. Oakes	305	J. Food	151
A. McKittrick	300	W. Crowther	227
Total	600	Total	378

"B" DIVISION

Britannia		Pro Patria	
G. Whitehead	200	T. Hodge	170
G. Province	200	W. Talbot	175
F. Grimes	200	A. Rogers	169
Total	600	Total	514

"C" DIVISION

Naval Veterans		Pro Patria	
F. L. Elliott	150	A. Dobbie	125
K. I. Elliott	61	R. V. Lea	150
L. Broughton	150	J. McLean	63
Total	361	Total	358

Britannia		Army and Navy	
G. V. Jarvis	123	H. Hume	150
W. Roberts	101	J. Anderson	150
H. C. Henson	150	H. McBurnie	107
Total	374	Total	407

VARSITY WINS RUGBY MATCH

Defeats Rowing Club to Take Lead in Miller Cup Competition

VANCOUVER, Jan. 28 (CP).—Varsity English Rugby players virtually cinched first place in the Miller Cup series today when they defeated Rowing Club, 8-3, to take a one-point lead in league standings. The winners have only two more games to play to complete the schedule.

Rowing Club played most of the game with only fourteen men after Tommy Fraser, star fullback, suffered a possible fractured shoulder in the opening minutes.

Other games today saw Meralomas move into a second-place tie with Rowing Club by defeating New Westminster, 16-5, while U.B.C. took over fourth place with a 14-12 victory over North Shore All Blacks.

Grads posted their first win of the season, defeating West Vancouver 3-0.

LARGE ENTRY IN PREAKNESS

Thoroughbreds Will Go After Seabiscuit's Record at Pimlico

BALTIMORE, Jan. 28 (AP).—Pimlico counted noses today and found more than 100 thoroughbreds eligible to shoot at Seabiscuit's new track record in the 1939 running of the Preakness, richest stakes for three-year-olds in the United States.

In keeping with the efforts of Alfred G. Vanderbilt, young president of the Maryland Jockey Club, to build up the value and importance of the Preakness, the purse for the forty-ninth running of the $50,000 added classic on May 13 may exceed $80,000.

To boost this year's event, the club has just spent around $1,500 to publish 2,000 copies of an elaborate 164-page "Preakness brochure" giving facts and figures on every running of the event named for the colt Preakness, which won Pimlico's first sweepstakes in 1870.

In it, one may find the complete records of the 114 eligibles for the next Preakness. Among the best listed are: E. R. Bradley's Benefactor, G. D. Widener's Birch Rod, W. L. Brann's Challedon, Calumet Farm's Calumet Red, Foxcatcher Farm's Golden Clown, Wheatley Stable's Gilded Knight, J. Marsch's Lightspur, W. E. Boeing's Porter's Mite, J. H. Whitney's Sidney Carton, W. J. Brown's T. M. Dorsett, and Saratoga Stable's Volitant.

WISE POLLY

The landlord of a public-house had a parrot which could talk about anything from horseracing to darts.

One day a stranger entered, and said his parrot could talk better.

After an argument, a match was arranged for $10, the parrot which said most in ten minutes to be the winner.

When the stranger's bird arrived both parrots were put in a table. The local parrot did not speak at all, and the landlord paid his $10 to the stranger.

When he was putting his parrot back again the landlord said to the bird, "You're a smart one, you are."

The parrot whispered in his ear. "Listen, you. Make a return match for $50 and I'll talk the blighter's head off."

"Do these charming children belong to you?"

"No."

"I thought not when I saw the ill-behaved brats. — Wochenschau, Essen.

City and District

Cyclists Warned—Twelve young cyclists who admitted failing to halt their machines at stop signs were cautioned by the city juvenile officer yesterday morning.

Radio Stolen—Charles Sims, 1174 May Street, reported to police yesterday that his premises had been forcibly entered through a basement door. The chassis of a radio set valued at $125 was stolen.

City Building—Permits for construction valued at $5,719 were issued by the city building inspector's office during the past week. The permits included two new dwellings valued at a total of $3,600.

Woman Caught—A woman was caught in a Fort Street shop yesterday morning with a large quantity of groceries allegedly stolen from the shelves. No action was taken pending advice from a lawyer representing the store.

Trace Weapon—Two .455 calibre revolver bullets fired at Mr. and Mrs. James Little at their store early yesterday morning were examined by police in an attempt to connect them with a gun stolen from Esquimalt district in December.

Body Found—The body of an unidentified Chinese was found floating off Dallas Road, between Boyd Street and San Juan Avenue, at 1:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon by George Bickford, 44 Menzies Street. Constables John Howe and Peris Atkinson found nothing on the remains except an old cigarette case.

Welcome Arches—Plans to erect floral welcome arches for the Royal visit are being discussed by several local organizations. It has been suggested that such arches be placed on Belleville Street, opposite the Legislative Buildings, at the main entrance to Government House, and outside the City Hall.

Housing Plan—At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce housing committee on Tuesday afternoon, Alderman B. J. Gadsden intends to suggest that a central office be established and newspaper advertisements inserted, in order that accommodation available to visitors during the Royal journey to the city may be ascertained.

Hit by Car—Gerald Monks, 818 Yates Street, reported to police at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning that his automobile struck Mrs. A. B. Hudson, 637 Transit Road, at View and Government Streets. Mr. Monks took Mrs. Hudson to the office of Dr. H. E. Ridewood, who ordered her to the Jubilee Hospital to be treated for shock.

Addresses Guild — St. Mary's Men's Guild met on Thursday and during the business session arrangements were made to hold its annual church service on Sunday evening, March 5. A very entertaining address followed, given by Dr. D. M. Baillie on "Guerilla Warfare in China," and many new angles of the present conflict were brought out by the speaker.

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YOUNG LIBERALS SCORE EASY WIN

Ed Whyte's Young Liberals had little trouble scoring another victory in the Intermediate Football League as they blanked the Caveys, at Beacon Hill Park, by a 6-0 score.

Ten minutes after the start, Cosier opened the scoring and then just four minutes more went by when Politano made it 2-0. Tuthill put through another one right after and Cosier registered again before the half ended after receiving a great cross from Okell.

In the second half, after fourteen minutes of play, Politano scored from a corner and before the finish Tuthill smacked home the last goal.

The other scheduled match, between the Cooperage and Longshoremen, was not played, as Central Park was found unplayable.

DIFFERENT MATTER

At a dinner recently, man sitting next to a lady was, to say the least, inebriated: "Shay, you're the ugliest woman I've ever seen!"

Angrily the lady retorted: "And you're the drunkest man I've ever seen!"

"I know, madam," replied the tipsy one, "but I'll get over that in the morning!"

DIES FROM ACCIDENT

TRAIL, B.C., Jan. 28 (CP).—Fatally injured when struck by a car at nearby Castlegar on Friday night, George Cramer, sixty-five, millhand, died in hospital today. The car allegedly was driven by Stanley Cecil "Sam" A. Watson, of Castlegar, and the accident occurred as Cramer was attempting to cross the road.

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Canadian Legion Appeals for Justice

Canada has done much for her veterans, but Canada has not yet completely acknowledged the obligation accepted by Sir Robert Borden, war-time Premier of the Dominion, on behalf of our people, nor has Canada fulfilled the promises made in an address given by Sir Robert to the troops in France in the year 1917. We quote an extract from that memorable speech:

"The Government and the Country will consider it their first duty to see that a proper appreciation of your effort and of your courage is brought to the notice of the people at home, and it will always be our endeavor to so guide the attitude of Public Opinion, that the Country will support the Government to prove to the Returned Man its just and due appreciation of the inestimable value of the services rendered to the Country and Empire; and that to a man, whether he goes back or whether he remains in Flanders, will have just cause to reproach the Government for having broken with the men who won and the men who died."

On Thursday, March 17th of last year, speaking in the House of Commons, a spokesman of the Government, in referring to the recommendation of the Veterans' Assistance Commission in regards to care of unemployed ex-servicemen, is reported to have said:

"I do not think that at present the people of this country are prepared to support and take as a direct responsibility the care of men who are now a municipal responsibility and are not being left to starve because they are being looked after by the municipalities—men who are physically fit and might be 40 or 45 years of age; in fact, two-thirds of those reported by the Commission as unemployed and fit are below 50. I do not believe the country wants to pay these fit men an allowance for the rest of their lives."

May we say that there is nothing contained in the report of the Veterans' Assistance Commission that hints at paying the employable veteran an allowance for life, unless the Government expects that these men are never going to have the opportunity of working again, and if they have this thought in mind then it is contrary to the expressed opinion of optimistic Government representatives who are constantly telling us that times have improved since October, 1935, and will get better in the future.

THOUSANDS ON VERGE OF DESTITUTION

The fact is that there are some thousands of ex-servicemen who served in a theatre of actual war, some with dependents and some without, who are on the verge of destitution, and have been in that position for a year or two.

For a number of years the Canadian Legion and other veteran organizations have been active in directing the attention of the Government to the unfortunate plight of these men.

HYNDMAN COMMITTEE REPORT

In March, 1935, the Legion's representations were given attention by the R. B. Bennett Government and the Hyndman Committee was appointed to carry out an investigation into existing facilities for the care and maintenance, while unemployed, of ex-servicemen.

In a report dated May 23rd, 1935, the Committee recommended that the Dominion Government should assist in payment of relief assistance to the unemployed veteran. The recommendation was not accepted by the Government.

VETERANS' ASSISTANCE COMMISSION APPOINTED

As unemployment conditions had not improved, the Canadian Legion approached the Mackenzie King Government in regards to the problem, and on June 23rd, 1936, the Veterans' Assistance Act was assented to, and a Commission of three appointed to investigate the situation.

The Veterans' Assistance Commission spent about 18 months investigating the existing facilities for the care and maintenance of unemployed veterans, and in the course of its duties traveled Canada from coast to coast.

The Commission in referring to the claim of the Veteran to special privileges, said:

"We feel that the veteran has a valid claim to special privileges. Not only is the Dominion Government under a heavy debt of obligation to the veteran because of his response to Canada's call in her hour of greatest need, but there has been repeated recognition of that obligation. We have already urged that the obligation is not merely sentimental but contractual. We feel, as we are confident the country at large feels, that no matter what Canada has done to require the services of her veterans, her obligation to them is not discharged while one of them walks the streets vainly in search of work, or while one of them is in distress. Canada has a general obligation to all her citizens to provide them with work and to keep them from actual want. Canada has a special obligation to her veterans."

The conditions that the Commission found amongst unemployed ex-servicemen and their dependents in Canada, amply corroborated the views as expressed in the Hyndman Committee report of May, 1935, and the Veterans' Assistance Commission in its final report dated December 1st, 1937, made the following recommendation concerning employable or supposed-to-be employable ex-service men:

"That in the case of unemployed indigent veterans who are not in receipt of disability pension and who served in His Majesty's Forces in a theatre of actual war and were domiciled in Canada at time of enlistment, unemployment assistance in the form of a provisional economic allowance be granted during such time as they are unemployed, through the Department of Pensions and National Health."

As already indicated, the present Government has not seen fit to implement this particular recommendation of its own Commission, nor has it suggested any alternative proposal.

The Canadian Legion feels that a man who answered his Country's call and saw service should be entitled as of right, to remunerative employment, and failing such employment, to adequate maintenance, providing he has the will to work.

The Legion, through its membership, has exercised a steadying influence in Canada throughout the years of depression, and we have reason to expect the recommendations of the Veterans' Assistance Commission, as endorsed by the Legion, should receive kindly consideration from the Mackenzie King Government.

INVESTORS WELL TAKEN CARE OF

We are not forgetful of the attention given to some of our requests by Governments of Canada, but we have in mind that Canada carried out its promises as contained in Victory Bonds sold to investors during the Great War, and we therefore believe that it is quite fair and just that we now ask the present Government to honor the promises made on the battlefields of Europe by one of Canada's distinguished men—the late Sir Robert Borden.

We believe that the people of this Dominion agree with us that there should be no repudiation in this regard.

The above brief has been endorsed by the Canadian Legion of the Victoria area, comprising the following branches:

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MALAHAT DISTRICT	No. 134	PRINCE EDWARD, LANGFORD	No. 91	SOOKE	No. 54
NAVAL VETERANS	No. 42		No. 31	TUBERCULOUS VETERANS' SECTION	No. 18
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PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Senator and Mrs. Green Will Hold a Reception

Hon. Robert Francis Green and Mrs. Green will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding on Tuesday next at their residence on Rupert Street, and will be "at home" to their friends from 3 to 6 o'clock in the afternoon and from 8 to 10 o'clock in the evening.

Senator and Mrs. Green have an exceptionally wide circle of friends throughout Canada and the celebration of their golden wedding is an anniversary of great interest.

They were married in Erie, Pa., on January 31, 1889, Mrs. Green, before her marriage being Miss Cecilia E. McDannell, of Erie. After their marriage, they went to Illecillewaet, B.C., where Mr. Green was in business for two and a half years, then moving to Ainsworth, and subsequently to Kaslo, B.C., where he was elected the first mayor of that town in 1893. From 1898 to 1906 he was provincial Conservative member for the Kaslo-Slocan riding. It was during this time that Mr. and Mrs. Green moved to Victoria, first making their home in Victoria West, later on Pandora Avenue, and finally moving to their present home on Rupert Street.

In 1912 Mr. Green was first elected to the House of Commons in a by-election necessitated by Mr. A. S. Goodeve, at that time member of the House, joining the Railway Board. When Kootenay was divided into two constituencies, Mr. Green became representative for the West division and remained in the House of Commons until 1921, when he was called to the Senate by Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen.

One son, School Trustee R. H. Green, lives in Victoria, and a daughter, Cecilia, died in 1918. There are two grandsons, Robert and Gordon, sons of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Green.

Anniversary Is Celebrated

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Handley celebrated their golden wedding yesterday at the home of their second daughter, Mrs. P. J. Kerr, 2975 Orillia Street. They were presented by their family with a pot of gold which was found at the end of a rainbow, which spanned the refreshment table. A wedding cake, adorned with a miniature old-fashioned bride and groom under a golden horseshoe with two golden wedding bells, centred the table, with gold candlesticks holding flame colored tapers placed at either side.

The reception rooms were decorated with ferns, chrysanthemums and colored streamers. The toast to the bride and groom of fifty years ago was proposed by Mr. C. E. Ingram, a life-long friend of the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Handley came from England about thirty-four years ago, the bride from London, within the hearing of Bow Bells; the groom from Enmeth. They have lived in Victoria for twenty-five years. Their marriage took place in Elm, Norfolk.

Many friends called to offer their good wishes yesterday, the door being opened to the visitors by Master Philip DeCosta, the only great-grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Handley. Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. L. W. Salter and Mrs. J. J. Niven, while Mrs. W. H. DeCosta and Miss Dickie Fisher assisted in serving.

Members of the family present were: Mrs. L. W. Salter, Mrs. P. J. Kerr, Mrs. J. J. Niven, Mrs. O. H. Handley and Mrs. W. H. DeCosta a granddaughter. Three grandsons unable to attend are Mr. Hugh Gyte, Messrs. James and William Niven. Among the friends present were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ingram, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hallett, Mr. and Mrs. W. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hughes, Mrs. and Miss McDougall, Mrs. S. Youngs, Miss C. Butler, Mr. W. H. DeCosta, Miss D. McBeath and Mr. G. Paton.

ST. MARK'S SOCIAL

A group of clever young performers presented a programme at St. Mark's Church social on Friday evening, Rev. O. L. Jull as chairman. Coffee and buns were served and the evening was brought to a conclusion with a dance. The programme, which was warmly applauded, included: Piano selection and vocal solo, Miss Ada Burt; song, Diana Kerslake; song and dance by four-year-old Brucie Allen; piano and song, Enid Middleton and Joyce Morrish; recitation, Ilace Roskelley; roller skate tap dance, Arnold Hornby; vocal solo, Miss Elsie George; song and dance, Enid Middleton; Charlie McCarthy act, Miss Merriman; song and dance, Iris Brooks; recitation, Mrs. Linforte, and vocal solo, Bob Henson.

Get-Together to Take Place Today

A "Victoria Y.W.C.A. Girls' Get-Together," sponsored by the Senior Girls' Council, will be held this afternoon, commencing at 2:30 o'clock, in the Y.W.C.A. The programme includes two addresses, "The Meaning of Education," by Dr. Henrietta Anderson, and "What Does It Mean to Be a Christian?" by Rev. John E. Bell, B.A. Miss Doris Jones, the new general secretary, will be present.

INDOOR POLO

Teams of the Victoria Polo Club are having regular competitions each Wednesday night at 8:30 o'clock in the Horse Show Building at the Willows. The players are all keen about this indoor sport which will continue until the outdoor season commences later in the year. All who are interested may see the games as the public is cordially invited to attend and there is no charge for admittance.

MEETING ON WAR

SIDNEY, Jan. 27.—A meeting will be held in St. Andrew's Hall on Thursday at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of organizing a local society to render assistance to war-torn China. Joseph Hope, of Victoria, will speak on "China and the War."

A Golden Wedding Couple

SENATOR AND MRS. R. F. GREEN
Who Will Celebrate the Fiftieth Anniversary of Their Marriage on Tuesday.—Photo by Savannah.

Clubs and Societies

Margaret Rose Lodge

Princess Margaret Rose Lodge, No. 40, Juveniles, Daughters of England, held its monthly meeting recently with Edna Maysmith presiding. Mrs. C. Smith, P.D.D., installed the advisory board and juvenile officers, and presented Mrs. A. McVie, worthy advisory president, with a bouquet from the advisory officers. Mrs. Smith presented Miss Peggy McVie with the past-president's jewel, and little Deirdre McKenzie, one of the smallest juveniles, presented a bouquet of chrysanthemums to Peggy McVie, the gift of Mrs. Shingleton. Corsage bouquets were given to those who assisted at the installation. Mrs. Smith, Mrs. L. Bridges, Mrs. M. Fieldhouse, Mrs. Shingleton and Miss H. Wiseman. Plans were made for a birthday tea to be held on Wednesday, February 8, at the S.O.E. Hall from 3 to 5 p.m. Plans for the first annual banquet to be held after the meeting on February 22 were left in the hands of the advisory board. Refreshments were served after the meeting by Mrs. M. Gosnell, assisted by officers and juveniles. The officers installed were: President, Edna Maysmith; vice-president, Muriel Henry; chaplain, Dorothy McLaren; first guide, Barbara McVie; second guide, Eileen Howe; third guide, Doris Rawnsley; fourth guide, Lillian Bishop; fifth guide, Audrey Sutton; sixth guide, Evelyn McLaren; inside guard, Jessie Kingscote; outside guard, Pearl Dyson; pianist, Margaret Tippett; advisory board officers, Mesdames A. McVie, M. Gosnell, A. Gorton, E. Swan, A. Wiseman, H. Baker, C. Smith, F. G. Bridges, F. Howe, I. Bell, M. Aldridge, Adams, Dyson, D. Henry, Miss D. McVie, and lodge doctor, Dr. J. H. Moore.

Emmanuel Circle

The regular meeting of the Junior Mission Circle of the Emmanuel Baptist Church was held recently at the home of Miss Lilian Parfitt, 2663 Fernwood Road. The president, Miss Gladys Rowley, was in the chair. As this was the first annual meeting of the circle, a resume of the year's work was given in a report by the secretary, Miss Opal Abercrombie. The challenge of the new year was given in an inspirational devotional period led by Miss Crystal Lorbeer. Miss Abercrombie sang, accompanied by Miss Florence Rowley. The social half hour was conducted by Miss Evelyn Rhodes. Miss Parfitt conducted the election of officers, which resulted as follows: President, Miss Gladys Rowley; vice-president, Miss Vera Farfitt; secretary-treasurer, Miss Opal Abercrombie; conveners of committees, music, Miss Florence Rowley; programme, Miss Evelyn Rhodes; devotional, Miss Crystal Lorbeer; social, Miss Beryl Earl, and white cross work, Miss Margaret Lorbeer. The next meeting will be held on February 17 at the home of Miss Shiela Maxwell, 1425 Bay Street.

St. Matthias' Guild

A pleasant afternoon was spent on Thursday in the church hall, Richmond Road, when the Women's Guild of St. Matthias' was "at home" to all the women of the congregation. At a large horseshoe table, prettily decorated with silver bowls of Spring flowers, tea was poured for over fifty guests by four of the guild members. The new president, Mrs. M. K. Crockett, welcomed the guests and later made a few remarks expressing great pleasure in seeing so many present and introduced the vice-president, Mrs. S. Riden, who read an interesting paper touching upon the history of the guild since its organization in 1914, before the building of St. Matthias' Church. Then followed a happy incident in the presentation to Mrs. C. F. Cox, of a Morocco-bound hymn and prayer book with the best wishes of the guild, in appreciation of her twelve years' devoted service as their president. Mrs. Cox was taken completely by surprise and thanked the members feelingly for their recognition of her efforts.

Overseas Nursing Sisters

The annual meeting of the Overseas Nursing Sisters of the Canadian Legion was held yesterday afternoon in the Britannia Branch rooms, Miss Alice Williams was elected president; Miss Ethel Morrison, first vice-president; Miss Agnes Forbes, second vice-president; Miss J. E. Gray, secretary-treasurer; Miss Martha McBride, social service convener; Miss Forbes, entertainment convener; Miss Naomi Gray, sick visiting convener; Miss K. E. Gray, representative of the District Council, and Miss Meta Hodge, Remembrance Day committee representative. The president gave an interesting report of the year's work, and Miss McBride outlined the social service work which had been extensive during the past year. Plans were made for a benefit bridge party on February 17 in St. Joseph's Auditorium. Tables may be reserved by telephoning Miss A. Forbes, Empire 8502. There will be hidden prizes and refreshments.

Rebekah Lodge

Members of Colfax Rebekah Lodge, No. 1, are reminded of the official visit to this district of Mrs. Martha Orr, Chilliwack, president of the Rebekah Assembly of British Columbia, and Mrs. Agnes Merrithew, Vancouver, assembly secretary, on Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the I.O.O.F. Hall. A tea in honor of the president will be held on Friday at the Hudson's Bay Company, and those desiring to attend may make reservations by telephoning Mrs. W. Sands, G 3530, or Mrs. E. Pearson, E 0338, before Thursday. Visiting members of the order are asked to accept this invitation to be present with us on these occasions.

Christ Church Senior W.A.

A well-attended meeting of the Senior Evening Branch of the Christ Church Cathedral Women's Auxiliary was held on Thursday in the Memorial Hall. Several visitors and prospective members were present. A welcome was extended by the president to Mrs. Duncan, the guest speaker, Mrs. Elliott and the visitors. Mrs. Duncan gave an instructive address on the Women's Auxiliary, its work and its aims. Mrs. Dickson thanked Mrs. Duncan on behalf of the members. Tea was served after the meeting.

Lodge Primrose

Daughters of England, Lodge Primrose, No. 32, held a social meeting on Friday in the S.O.E. Hall; Mrs. A. Edmonds presided, and Mrs. A. James, district deputy, and Mrs. Baker, president of Princess Alexandra Lodge, attended. After the meeting a successful old-time dance was held under the convenership of Mrs. E. Bissenden. Choir practice will be held tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Oliver, Grant Street.

Mothers' Meeting

The monthly Mothers' Meeting of Emmanuel Baptist Church was well attended on Thursday. Owing to the absence of the president, Mrs. Pinkerton was in the chair. Rev. A. S. Imrie, D.D., gave an interesting talk. Miss Seymour sang two selections, and Mrs. Buckett played a piano solo. Mrs. Imrie and Mrs. Pearson poured tea. The next meeting will be held on February 23.

Langford League

The Langford Subdivision of the Catholic Women's League will hold its monthly meeting on Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock. A card party under the auspices of the league will be held on Thursday evening, February 16, in the Legion Hall at Langford. Bridge and five hundred will be played. Good prizes will be given and refreshments served.

To Address Club

Mr. John Baxter will give an address on "Civic Affairs" at the weekly meeting of the Senior Business Girls' Club at the Y.W.C.A. tomorrow at 8 p.m. All those interested are cordially invited to attend. Mr. Ernest Harris recently spoke on "Activities of the Junior Chamber of Commerce," a subject which proved to be of interest.

Guild of Friendship

The Women's Guild of Friendship held a silver tea at 1210 Fort Street on Wednesday, at which there was a good attendance of interested friends and well-wishers. Mrs. R. E. Large spoke briefly of the purpose and aims of the guild. Mrs. Brothers read teacups and gave character delination by means of palmistry.

Sidney W.A.

Very Rev. Spencer Elliott, Dean of Columbia, has consented to be present at a social evening to be sponsored by the St. Andrew's and Holy Trinity Woman's Auxiliary, Sidney, to be held on Tuesday, February 21, in St. Andrew's Hall, Second Street, Sidney.

L'Alliance Francaise

Mrs. Reed Paige Clarke will give an address at Victoria College on Monday, February 20, at 3:15 p.m., under the auspices of L'Alliance Francaise, for French students and those interested in the French language. Her subject will be "Early History of French Louisiana."

St. Barnabas' Guild

The ladies of St. Barnabas' Guild will hold their annual card party on February 8 in the schoolroom. Both contract bridge and court whist will be played. There will be prizes and refreshments. Players are asked to bring their own cards.

Daughters of St. George

Daughters of St. George, Victoria Lodge, No. 83, will hold its regular meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the S.O.E. Hall. All officers and guard team will meet at 7 o'clock for practice, before the meeting.

Purple Star Lodge

Victoria Purple Star Lodge, No. 104, L.O.B.A., will hold its regular social meeting on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Orange Hall. After the meeting, "500" will be played, commencing at 8:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

V.O.N. Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Victorian Order of Nurses will be held tomorrow at 3 p.m. at the Y.W.C.A. The meeting will be open to the public and all interested in the work are invited to attend.

C.C.F. Auxiliary

The C.C.F. Women's Auxiliary will meet on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Espley, 1137 Caledonia Avenue, at 2:30 p.m. There will be an interesting speaker.

Langford Guild

The monthly meeting of St. Matthew's Guild, Langford, will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen, Station Road.

Bowling Club

Ladies of the Canadian Pacific Lawn Bowling Club will hold a bridge tea on Wednesday at 2:15 p.m. in the social club room.

Daughters of Pity

The regular meeting of the Daughters of Pity will be held in the Nurses' Home, Jubilee Hospital, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

St. Alban's Society

The ladies of St. Alban's Society will hold a court whist card party on Wednesday at 8 p.m.

Married for Half a Century

MR. AND MRS. PHILIP HANDLEY
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Weddings

STEWART—ALEXANDER

The marriage took place on Wednesday, January 25, at the Esperanza Hotel, Esperanza, B.C., of Myrtle Joy, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Alexander, Vancouver, to Mr. Thomas Marston Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stewart, of Vancouver. Both the bride and groom came from Zeballos, where the groom is agent of the Privateer Mines and also agent of the Waterhouse Steamship Lines, Vancouver. Miss May Clark was bridesmaid, and Mr. Roy McDonald was best man.

The ceremony was attended by a few friends of the bride and groom and Rev. Father Anthony officiated. The bride wore a becoming powder blue crepe dress trimmed with navy blue, and her bouquet was of Sweetheart roses and paper white narcissi. The bridesmaid wore a navy blue crepe dress and a corsage bouquet of pink carnations. As the bride and groom entered the lobby of the hotel, the "Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin," was played. Later a dinner party and reception were held, the guests including friends from Zeballos.

After a short honeymoon at Esperanza, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart will live at Zeballos.

CRAIGMYLE—HURST

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hurst, 1018 Bay Street, announce the marriage of their second daughter, Margaret Corrin "Glee," to Mr. James Alexander "Sandy" Craigmyle, elder son of Mrs. E. J. Crosby, 2942 Tillicum Road, and the late Mr. James Craigmyle, which took place on February 12, 1938, at St. Martin's-in-the-Field Church. Rev. Canon Stocken officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Craigmyle will make their home on Qu-Appelle Street.

SARGISON—CAMERON

The marriage of Miss Clarice F. V. Cameron, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Cameron, to Mr. Francis R. Sargison, took place at St. Mary's Church at 7:30 o'clock last evening with Ven. Archdeacon Nunns officiating. The bride was given in marriage by Mr. Frank J. Sehl. Mrs. Percy Horton was matron of honor, and Mr. Percy Horton, Salmo, B.C., was best man.

DUGGAN—JUSTICE

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Meredith, College Street, Duncan, on Friday evening, a quiet but pretty wedding took place when Leila Daphne, daughter of Major and Mrs. Clive W. Justice, was united in marriage to Mr. Allan James Duggan, Duncan. Rev. W. F. Burns performed the ceremony, and Miss Ada Saunders played the wedding march.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was lovely in her wedding gown of powder blue lace and chiffon, with which she wore a Juliet cap in wrought gold, an heirloom of her family. Her corsage bouquet was snowdrops and Christmas roses.

Miss Lena Justice, wearing a pretty frock of flowered crepe a silver bandeau in her hair and a corsage bouquet of daffodils, made an attractive bridesmaid. Mr. Charles Meredith was best man.

After a reception attended only by close relatives and friends, at which the bride's mother received in a becoming dress of navy blue and white flowered crepe with a corsage bouquet of daffodils and snowdrops, Mr. and Mrs. Duggan left for Vancouver, where the honeymoon will be spent. Mrs. Duggan traveled in a navy blue crepe frock with red and gold sash, cinnamon brown hat and accessories and brown fur coat. On their return they will make their home on Gibbins Road, Duncan.

DEMPSTER—COTSFORD

A quiet wedding took place at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. Daniel Walker, Rockland Avenue, on Saturday, January 21, at 8 p.m., when Deena Anne Brown, daughter of Mrs. W. T. Cotsford, 1712 Cook Street, and the late Captain W. T. Cotsford, became the bride of Mr. William Scott Dempster, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dempster, 1940 Ernest Avenue.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. C. Cotsford, Chemainus, looked charming in a floor-length velvet gown of a deep violet, with a hat to match, and a corsage bouquet of gardenias. She was attended by Mrs. Patricia Howard, Saltspring Island, who was attired in a model dress of leaf-green taffeta, with a turban hat of green and rust. Her corsage bouquet was of Talisman roses. Mr. Harold Curran supported the groom.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, where the young couple received their guests standing in a decorated archway from which was suspended a large white bell. A buffet supper was served from a table attractively arranged with daffodils and centred by a beautiful wedding cake. The gifts were arranged in the drawing-room. Mr. and Mrs. Dempster will make their home in Victoria.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. T. Gyves, Mr. and Mrs. McFadden, Mrs. E. Howard and Master Leslie Howard, all of Saltspring Island; Mr. and Mrs. S. Blackburn and Master Stanley Blackburn, Nanaimo; Mr. and Mrs. C. Cotsford, Chemainus; Mr. and Mrs. W. Cotsford, Shawnigan Lake, and Mrs. J. Mahaffey, Ladysmith.

Witty Kitty

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

What with the trick new skating suits to add to the picture on ice rinks it's too bad Old Man Winter didn't do his stuff with more enthusiasm.

SPRING BALL PLANNED

The officers and members of Mount Newton Masonic Lodge will hold their annual Spring ball on Friday, April 14, in the Saanichton Agricultural Hall.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

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Against a picturesque background of history, given realism by means of appropriate costume and setting, a programme of folk songs such as has been heard in British Columbia in Indian encampment, prospectors' camps, and pioneer settlements during the past century and a half, will be given when the Musical Art Society holds its reception on February 8.

On this occasion His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. E. W. Hamber, honorary patrons, will be the guests of honor, and A. M. D. Fairbairn has generously co-operated with the society by writing a little drama which helps to reconstruct the past and introduce the different folk songs in their legitimate historical places: A prospector, a mining engineer and an Indian guide meet by chance at an abandoned Hudson's Bay Company post, and, in reminiscing about times gone by, the ceremonial songs of the aborigines, the songs of the French voyageur, the songs of the Scottish, Irish and English settlers come to mind. These will be sung in their proper places by costumed singers, some of the best vocal talent of the city having been assembled for the event.

Rehearsals have already begun, with Mrs. E. W. Hetherington directing.

P.-T.A. Activities

CEDAR HILL

The monthly meeting of the Cedar Hill Association was held at the school on Thursday. Mr. W. R. Tipper was in the chair and introduced the speaker, Mrs. Reese Burns, of the Provincial Normal School, who took as her subject, "Speech Education." Grants were made towards establishing a school library, and the purchase of magazines for the school was made. A vote of thanks was accorded the teachers for their work in connection with the Christmas concert. Mrs. Hanson, social convener, reported progress was being made with the entertainment arranged for March 17. Refreshments were served by the social committee.

Girl Guide Notes

CHEMAINUS

The Chemainus Girl Guide Association held its annual meeting recently in the Chemainus Parish Hall, with the president, Mrs. Fraser, in the chair. Reports of the year's work and social activities were given by the secretaries and conveners. The Guides attended the ten-day camp at Yellow Point with Nanaimo and I.O.D.E. Guides. Mrs. Lomas and Mrs. Vernon were given votes of thanks for their work during the year. The committee will in future meet in various homes or at the hall. An endeavor will be made to co-operate with Victoria Guides and Brownies in welcoming the King and Queen, and plans will be made at the next meeting to finance the arrangements. The officers for 1939 include Mrs. Fraser, president; Mrs. J. Russell Robinson, vice-president, and Mrs. Elliott, secretary-treasurer. Refreshments were served after the meeting.

VICTORIA RANGERS

The First Victoria Rangers will hold a bridge party at St. Barnabas' Church hall tomorrow at 8 p.m. There will be prizes and refreshments.

Miss D. Day Is Bride of Capt. F. Else

The marriage was solemnized quietly yesterday afternoon at Christ Church Cathedral, Rev. A. E. G. Hendy officiating, when Doreen Beatrice, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Day, Duncan, became the bride of Captain Frank Else, King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry, son of Mr. Henry C. Else, Ridgeway, Yorkshire, England, and the late Mrs. Else. The bride, who was given in marriage by Mrs. Henry Humphreys, Duncan, wore a smart suit of green hand-woven tweed, with a hat of matching tweed and upturned suede brim. Her corsage bouquet was of gardenias. Mr. J. L. Wiswell was best man.

Captain and Mrs. Else will make their home at Maple Bay.

Will Be Married in Peru

MISS BARBARA JEANNETTE HUTTON

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Warren Hutton, Vancouver, announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Jeannette, to Mr. John Moncreiff Mortimer, only son of Mrs. Arthur J. Mortimer, Victoria and the late Mr. Mortimer. The wedding will take place in Lima, Peru, early in April. Mrs. Hutton will accompany her daughter to Lima, leaving Vancouver on February 13. Both the bride and groom-to-be are graduates of the University of British Columbia, where Mr. Mortimer is affiliated with Sigma Phi Delta Fraternity, and Miss Hutton with Delta Gamma Sorority. Mr. Mortimer is a graduate in chemical engineering and is at present working in Oroya, Peru, where he is employed by the Cerro de Pasco Copper Corporation.—Photo by Aber.

Social and Personal

Birthday Party

Mrs. C. V. Scrivener, Cavendish Avenue, entertained yesterday afternoon at a birthday party in honor of her daughter, Patsy. Golden daffodils were effectively used throughout the house. Games and contests were much enjoyed, with prizes being awarded the lucky winners. The children then sat down to a birthday tea. A color scheme of pale green and yellow was carried out in the table decorations and favors. Daffodils and jonquils in a green glass bowl, lighted by green tapers in silver sconces, formed an attractive centrepiece. The birthday cake, iced in yellow with tiny green candles, and a gaily decorated ice cream cake stood at either end of the table, completing the birthday motif. The guests were Margie Sager, Elizabeth Philpott, Eleanor Dash, Barbara Shaw, Joan Hayward, Barbara Mae Livsey, Roberta Ray, Doreen Jasper, Mary Ashe, Dorothy Harding, Jeannette Paterson, Dorothy Saunders, Betty Rennison, Peggy Johnson, Carrie Ferriday, Jean Oliver, Elizabeth Harding, Glen Atkins, Pat Hayward, Richard Paterson and Maeford Wilson.

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Honored by Friends

Complimenting Mrs. Nelson A. Hicks, who is leaving the city shortly to make her home on the Mainland, Mrs. William Newcombe, Richmond Road, is entertaining at the tea hour this afternoon. Gay daffodils have been arranged in the reception rooms. Mrs. Brian Combe and Mrs. Owen Fowler will preside at a lace-covered tea table, for which red tulips in a crystal bowl and lighted blue tapers in similar holders will form the centrepiece. Invitations were extended to Mrs. Joseph Rose, Mrs. M. Mayhew, Mrs. Harold Colpman, Mrs. Clyde Savage, Mrs. Harold Robinson, Mrs. Geoffrey Edgelow, Mrs. James Dangerfield, Mrs. Owen Fowler, Mrs. Richard McCullough, Mrs. C. A. Goodwin, Mrs. Brian Combe, Miss Elsie Jenkins and Miss Gladys Sheret. Last Friday afternoon Mrs. Joseph Addison, Lotus Avenue, was hostess at a tea given in honor of Mrs. Hicks. The table, covered with a Swiss embroidered cloth, had a centrepiece of pink roses and ferns. Mrs. Addison poured and was assisted by Mrs. Gordon Page. Twelve guests were present.

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Birthday Tea at Hotel

Lovely bowls of daffodils and pink antirrhinums in the lounge lent a Spring-like and festive appearance to the Empress Hotel yesterday, when the hotel's birthday was celebrated at a special tea. By way of an innovation, members of the Beaux-Arts took part in charades, which proved a popular form of amusement and entertainment, Mr. W. F. Tickle acting as announcer, and the tea guests showed keen interest in guessing the words which were "Spinster" and "Histrionic." Among those who entertained parties of friends were: Miss Kathleen Agnew, Mrs. H. A. Goward, Mrs. C. L. Harrison, Mrs. W. G. McQuarrie (New Westminster), Mrs. B. Schwengers, Mrs. Fred Spencer, Mrs. D. C. S. MacArthur, Mrs. Hetherington, Mrs. H. H. Shandley, Colonel L. G. Matterson, Dr. L. Hudson and others.

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Valentine Dance

Miss Enid Richmond and Miss Evelyn Dopp were hostesses last evening at a Valentine dance and party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richmond, Lee Avenue. Dancing and games were enjoyed throughout the evening, and a buffet supper was served. The rooms were decorated with red streamers, from which hung colored balloons. The invited guests were Misses Gwen Dodsworth, Maureen Callan, Jean Lewis, Vivian Curtis, Gloria Horseford, Betty Cutt, Mary Brydges, Kae Ellison, Lenora Poole, Olive Fox, Frances Fortin, Sheila Dagg, Barbara Horseford, Pauline Richmond and Messrs. Ian Maclean, John Davies, Ted White, Dick Garrard, Robert Colbert, Howard Stevens, Bill Jamieson, Donald Hoadley, R. Davies, Patrick Strong, Harold Butler, Arthur Strong and David Grant.

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Badminton Club Dance

Visiting players in the Vancouver Island badminton championships were the guests of honor at the dance held at the conclusion of the finals at the Armoury last evening, when the members of the Garrison Club acted as hosts. The dance was a delightful affair and attended by a large gathering of the players and their friends as well as a number of the spectators who had attended the matches. The committee responsible for the success of the dance included Miss Elizabeth Stewart, Miss Joan Fortt, Miss Doreen Swayne, Miss Florence Oates, Commander J. C. I. Edwards, R.C.N., and Mr. John Hall.

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Is Tea Host

Colonel L. G. Matterson entertained a number of friends at tea at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon, when Mrs. W. C. Nichol and Mrs. Hermann Robertson presided at the urns. The following were among the other invited guests: Mrs. Crow Baker, Miss Ross, Mrs. Hunter Ogilvie and Miss Ogilvie, Mrs. Hebden Gillespie, Miss Selma Reyes, Mrs. R. Baird, Miss Helen Baird, Mrs. S. S. Burnett, Mrs. A. W. Jones, Mrs. J. J. Shallcross, Mrs. Noel Mackenzie, Mrs. G. Storey Waller, Mrs. T. Gurney, Mrs. Rutherford Shaw, Mrs. Fessenden and Mrs. J. W. Ruggles.

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At Empress Hotel

Among the visitors to Victoria who registered at the Empress Hotel yesterday were Miss Lillian Epstein, Great Falls, Mont.; Mrs. H. C. Gunnison, Mr. and Mrs. F. Edward, Mr. and Mrs. R. Barsen, Mrs. Ray C. Anderson, Mrs. W. H. Jenkins, R. W. Beck, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wishart, Winnipeg; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Else, Maple Bay; T. M. Carlyle, John M. Carlyle, Calgary; L. W. Howland, Toronto; Charles Shaw, Peterborough, Ont.; John A. Carter, Los Angeles; Gordon Mercer and A. G. Brine, New Westminster.

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Dance Held

The intermediate group of the Musical Art Society and their friends enjoyed a dance in the Russian Ballet School Hall, Fort Street, on Friday evening. Mrs. Allon Peebles represented the parent society and Dr. and Mrs. T. W. A. Gray were special guests. Miss B. Griffin and Mrs. R. D. McCaw, the conveners, received the guests. Refreshments were served at 10:30 o'clock, dancing continuing until midnight.

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Gave Farewell Tea

Mrs. C. F. Weston, Ottawa, entertained friends at a farewell tea given at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon. Daffodils and mauve tulips in a silver basket centred the prettily arranged table. About fourteen guests were present. Mrs. Weston and her brother, Mr. F. Fripp, also of Ottawa, have been staying at The Angela while visiting relatives and friends in the city and are on their way to California for a holiday.

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Riders Enthusiastic

The paperchases of the Victoria Riding Club are just as popular as ever and another will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2.30. Yesterday, the riders who participated had a long search for the two hares, Captain Martin and Mr. George Tyson, but were not successful in tracking them down before they reached the clubhouse.

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Entertains for Visitor

Mrs. Fred Doidge was hostess at the tea hour yesterday at the Empress Hotel, when she entertained in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. H. Doidge, Winnipeg, who, while visiting in Victoria, is staying with Mrs. Doidge, Sr., Pentrelew Place. Guests at the tea were Mrs. Fred Spencer, Mrs. Wingfield Digby (Parksville), and Mrs. J. T. Jones.

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Dance at Empress Hotel

There were approximately 200 dancers at the Empress Hotel supper dance last evening in the Crystal ballroom, and the numbers featured by the orchestra were: "This Can't Be Love," "You're the Only Star," "I Must See Annie Tonight," and "Sweethearts," from the motion picture of the same name.

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Leaving for Vancouver

Mr. Archie MacCorkindale and Mr. John McLaren will leave today for Vancouver, where they will take part in the presentation of Ibsen's "Ghosts" at the Granville Street Theatre on February 1, which is being directed and produced by Mrs. Yvonne Firkins.

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Here From England

Mr. Archibald Lyon, Nottingham, England, is at present visiting this city and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Craig, Esquimalt Drydock.

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Tea Hostess

Mrs. J. A. Craig was hostess during the tea hour at the Empress Hotel yesterday, when she entertained for her daughter, Patricia, and her friends and classmates from St. Margaret's School.

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Is Tea Hostess

Dr. Irene Bastow Hudson entertained at tea at the Empress Hotel yesterday, her guests being Mrs. C. C. Bird, Mrs. A. E. Hodgins and Mrs. Newcoming.

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From Vancouver

Miss Joan Arkell arrived yesterday from Vancouver to visit her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Tulldige, Georgian Apartments, Moss Street.

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Guests of Prime Minister

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mayhew, Victoria, were dinner guests of Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King at Laurier House, Ottawa, on Wednesday night.

Engagement Is Announced

MISS ROMA TRUDEL

Biltmore Apartments, Winnipeg, whose marriage to Mr. Carbery Collins, Victoria, will take place in Vancouver, February 18. Miss Trudel is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Trudel, formerly of Victoria.

Cowichan Girl Guides Close Splendid Year

The annual meeting of the Cowichan Guide Association, held at the Guide Hall, Duncan, on Friday night was attended by about 250 persons. Mrs. G. A. Jobling, district commissioner and president of the Guide committee, was in the chair. Mrs. Jobling read letters of regret for non-attendance from Mayor Greig and Reeve Chapman, and thanked the St. Mary's W.A. which had postponed a proposed card party which would have conflicted with the meeting.

The treasurer's statement, read by the secretary, Mrs. F. G. Aldersey, showed a balance on hand of $103.58. Warrants were presented to two new Guide lieutenants, Misses Dorothy Duncan and Joy Willis.

Reports of the various Guide companies showed a great amount of valuable work done during the year. Miss Dorothy Lamb presented the British Columbia Lone Guide report; Miss Elliott that of the First Cowichan Company; Miss Nora Denny reported for the First Duncan (Q.M.S.) Company; Miss Irene Fraser for the First Sahtlams, and Miss D. Geoghegan, the Second Duncan report and also the report on the Guide Summer Camp.

Last year's Guide committee was re-elected and new names added were Mrs. C. M. French, Mrs. W. E. Corfield and Mrs. H. Wilton. The committee re-elected were Mrs. G. A. Jobling, Mrs. F. G. Aldersey, Mrs. H. Lovell, Mrs. W. R. Smithe, Mrs. W. S. Gwyn, Mrs. J. Page, Mrs. W. M. Dwyer, Mrs. L. Langlois, Mrs. R. A. Thorpe, Mrs. J. Armstrong, Mrs. D. Sherman, Mrs. K. F. Duncan, Mrs. H. N. Watson, Mrs. G. K. Hobson and Mrs. G. Wellburn.

After the business meeting, an excellent impromptu programme was presented by the Guides. Amusing skits were given by the First Cowichans and First and Second Duncans, and a campfire scene with two songs was effectively presented. Refreshments were served by members of the Guide committee, the Guides doing the serving.

I.O.D.E. Activities

Sir James Douglas

The annual meeting of the Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter will take place on Thursday afternoon next at 2.30 o'clock, and will be followed by a social half hour and tea, a few special guests having been invited for tea.

Major J. H. Gillespie Chapter

All members of the Major John Hebden Gillespie Chapter are requested to attend a meeting of the chapter tomorrow at 8.15 p.m., at the home of the regent, Mrs. Peter W. Bell, 661 Newport Avenue.

Camosun Chapter

The annual meeting of Camosun Chapter will be held at headquarters on Friday at 2.30 p.m.

Allies Chapter

The annual meeting of the Allies Chapter, Sidney, will be held in St. Augustine's Hall, Deep Cove, on Thursday at 2.30 p.m. The election of officers will take place.

DEFENDANT

The justice of the peace was performing his first wedding ceremony, and he found it difficult to disassociate from it several police cases he had heard earlier in the day.

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ENGAGEMENTS

KNIGHT—MacARTHUR

VANCOUVER, Jan. 28 (CP).—Mrs. F. F. MacArthur today announced the engagement of her only daughter, Margaret Isobel, to Mr. Roderick de Cazalet Knight, second son of Mr. I. G. D. Knight, Sooke, B.C. The wedding will take place here on February 25.

CHAPMAN—MILES

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Miles, 1038 Hillside Avenue, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Elly Margaret, to Mr. Charles Winston (Chuck) Chapman, second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Walton Chapman, 2540 Shelbourne Street. The wedding will take place on February 25, at the First United Church.

At the Hotels

DOMINION

Mrs. G. H. Jacobson, New Westminster; S. Post, Kimberley; J. Thwaites, Edmonton; M. H. Adams, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. M. Starling, Puyallup, Wash.; M. Barton, Sooke; G. Richards, Bamfield; B. C. Ludditt, Barkerville; Miss F. Markham, Miss K. Macpherson, Vancouver; R. Carter, Courtenay; Miss D. Robinson, Nanaimo.

Y.P.S. NEWS

OBYPA

The Oak Bay Young People will have a mystery trip in charge of Kenneth Wilson and his group in place of their regular meeting on Tuesday evening. Members are asked to be at the church at 7.45.

O.E.S. CARD PARTY

Oak Bay Chapter, No. 42, Order of Eastern Star, will hold an auction bridge party in the hall, 2186 Oak Bay Avenue, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. There will be prizes for the card winners and a door prize. Refreshments will be served.

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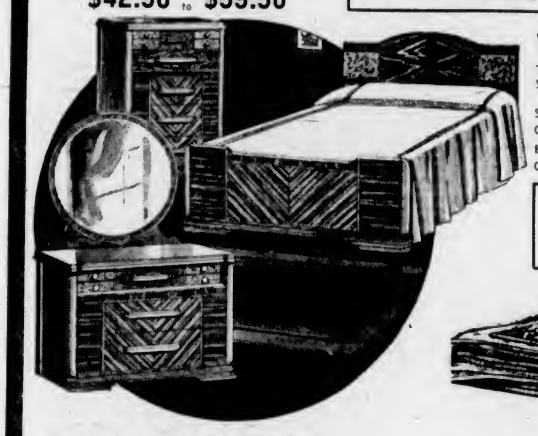

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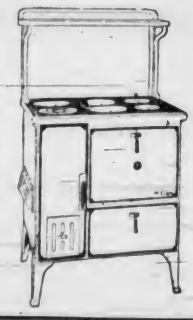

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Unusual Film To Be Seen by Women's Club

An unusual subject and a very gifted speaker will be presented at the Women's Canadian Club meeting on Tuesday afternoon at 2:45, when Mrs. A. M. Young, educational director of the Seattle Art Museum, will show a film entitled "Grass—A Nation's Battle for Existence."

This is the story, told with pictures actually photographed on the spot, of the semi-annual migration of the Baktyari tribe in Persia going through unbelievable hardships in their quest of grass for their flocks. It is claimed by the speaker that only three white people have ever seen this amazing incident, which has been handed down from the most primitive and elemental period in their civilization, and at the same time is symbolic of the ingrained courage and tribal discipline of the people. There are 50,000 natives and 500,000 cattle struggling for their very existence, and the picture of this seasonal migration is one of the most unusual of a primitive people ever photographed.

The soloist at Tuesday's meeting will be Mrs. Marjorie Watson Goodwin.

Anglican Young People

ST. MARK'S

St. Mark's Association will hold an initiation service for new members this evening at 7 o'clock in the church. Members are asked to meet at the hall at 6:50 p.m. On Wednesday the monthly business meeting will be held at 8 p.m. On Friday a bridge and five hundred card party will take place at 8 p.m. in the hall.

LOCAL COUNCIL

The regular meeting of the Victoria and District Local Council was held in the Memorial Hall on Thursday evening, with the president, Leonard Dixon, in the chair. The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. G. R. V. Bolster. The financial report was given by Chris Howland. The badminton convener reported the league to be running on schedule, with the Christ Church Cathedral branch in the lead. A pre-Lenten rally was arranged, to be held at the St. Paul's Church, Esquimalt, on February 19, at 3 p.m. The council agreed unanimously to support a concert given by Miss Louise Hamblett, pianist, to be held in the Memorial Hall on April 11, the proceeds to be given to the bursary fund. The latter part of the evening was spent discussing topics vital to the operation of the A.Y.P.A. in Victoria and district. Arising from the discussion, it was agreed that the annual provincial conference be held this year, as usual, even though the Dominion biennial conference be held in Vancouver in June. It was also agreed to allow the Local Council executive make final arrangements for a series of Sunday lectures, to be held during Lent.

CHEMAINUS

The Chemainus Branch were hosts on Friday night to members of the Duncan, Ladysmith and Nanaimo branches, the out-of-town guests numbering about thirty-five. The guests were introduced and welcomed by the president, Mrs. William Knight. Games and contests, in charge of Mrs. Knight, were followed by dancing and a buffet supper. In her closing speech the president thanked the visitors for coming, and mentioned that Chemainus hoped to make this an annual event, only in the future to make it in the form of a birthday party, as the original Chemainus charter is dated January 5. Representatives of each of the visiting organizations expressed pleasure at being able to be present. The refreshment committee was convened by Miss May Robinson, who was assisted by Miss Ruth Johnson and Miss Penelope Bailey.

Solarium Annual Meeting Planned

The annual meeting of the Queen Alexandra Solarium will be held on Monday, February 13, at the Empress Hotel, at 2.30 p.m., when, in addition to the usual business of an annual meeting, a resolution will be discussed to amend the by-laws providing that a director's term of office shall be for three years, with the right of re-election.

First Baptist Church in downtown Winnipeg has been sold and the congregation dissolved, its members transferring to other Baptist churches in the city.

Married at St. Mary's Church

Mr. and Mrs. Victor H. Noon, who were married at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, recently, are seen with their attendants, Miss Anne Field, Mrs. W. Warriner and Mr. L. Inglis. Mr. and Mrs. Noon will make their home at 356 Vincent Avenue, the Gorge. The bride was formerly Miss Margaret Alice Davis.—Photo by Savannah.

B.C. DRIVERS' TESTS WILL BEGIN MONDAY

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OPEN IN EVENINGS

Commencing at 9 a.m. tomorrow, testing staffs will stay on the job in relays from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m. daily, except Saturdays, when the hours will be 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. No examinations will be held on Sundays. The newsroom staffs of The Colonist and The Times went through the machines yesterday, with little difficulty. Some scribes secured 100 per cent on the "written" part of the test. Actually, there is nothing to write. On a printed slip of twenty-five questions, the motorist ticks yes or no columns with a pencil. Twenty right ticks count as a satisfactory pass mark.

From the first room, where he paid $1 and ticked twenty-five answers, the motorist is taken to an adjoining cubicle, where he meets the reactometer and a simple but ingenious set of mechanical devices. The reactometer measures his speed of response to an emergency. Other devices test his degree, depth and width of vision. There follow simple tests for color vision, and an oral test on standard road signs (there are thirty-one of them). All the physical part of the test is handled in a conventional driver's seat.

Reaching a normal rating in these tests, the driver gets a first-class licence; and is through with examinations until he becomes involved in either an accident or a traffic conviction. The mechanical devices are informative, telling the driver considerably more than he is asked to tell the examiners. People with glasses are passed with that restriction. Amputations cases are given actual driving tests in their own cars, with a competent examiner.

MOST DRIVERS PASS

In Vancouver, where testing commenced on January 9, and in New Westminster, where it began January 16, 90 per cent of all drivers pass the simple examinations the first time. The 10 per cent who did not were given a week to take another look at the traffic manual, and then passed without difficulty. So far there have been no third tests. The single dollar takes the motorist through to his certificate, in any event. Learners' licences cover beginners, who take their tests after thirty days.

With approximately 17,000 drivers to test in the Greater Victoria area, the Motor Licence Branch is going at the work quietly, and without fuss. The whole procedure is being regarded as educational; and can be informative for those who co-operate with the purpose of the scheme. Courteous staffs and simple methods speed up the whole procedure, under the watchful eyes of Inspector Hood, one of the foremost traffic experts in the country. Actual defects in vision are commonest, and those so afflicated are referred to oculists.

FINED BY TELEGRAPH

FAIRMONT, Minn., Jan. 28 (AP).—Charged with exceeding speed limits here, George Syverson, traveling salesman, telegraphed Justice H. M. Serle from Belleville, Kas., he would be unable to appear in court today and asked what the fine would be. Justice Serle wired (collect) the fine would be $15 and costs—a total of $18.50. The justice is awaiting a cheque.

Little Boy Celebrates His First Birthday

FRANK HUGH HUMPHREY

YOUNGEST son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Humphrey, 3468 Bethune Avenue, was a year old yesterday. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Painter and of Mrs. Main, Vancouver.—Photo by Savannah.

BOARD MEMBERS DINNER GUESTS

High School Home Economics Students Entertain Trustees in New Laboratory Unit

Members of the City School Board were the guests of the Victoria High School Grade XII home economics graduating class at a most attractively prepared "family dinner," in the new home economics unit on Friday evening.

The seventeen girls of the class, who have just completed the dinner unit of their home economics instruction, were required to serve a family dinner as the final part of the course, and they chose to have the trustees as their guests, in order to demonstrate the nature of their work. The girls themselves worked out the menu, decorated the tables and prepared and served the dinner.

Harry L. Smith, principal of the school, presided, and Miss Marjorie Peto, home economics instructress, acted as hostess. The members of the board present were Trustees Percy E. George (chairman), Mrs. A. S. Christie, Frank G. Mulliner, W. E. Staneland, R. H. Green and W. P. Marchant.

COMPLIMENT GIRLS

At the conclusion of the dinner each member of the board complimented the girls on the excellence of the meal and the manner in which it had been served.

Mr. Smith drew the attention of the board to the fact that this year enrollments in the home economics division had increased from seventy-five to 180, and he attributed the increase largely to the establishment of the modern new centre in the high school building.

Miss Peto expressed warm appreciation of the facilities provided by the new laboratory, pointing out that the students were now afforded a chance to do better work.

CHANGE MADE IN MINISTRY

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Besides the Cabinet changes, there was another indication of Great Britain's plans for any emergency in the Air Council's urgent appeal to employers to release reserve and volunteer pilots for continuous training with Air Force units for a period up to six months.

Lord Chatfield was First Sea Lord and chief of naval staff from 1933 to 1938. He retired last September on reaching the age limit of sixty-five years, and now is in India as chairman of a board of experts studying Indian defence problems.

Mr. Chamberlain's Cabinet changes long have been predicted as a move to silence widespread criticism of defence progress and agricultural development. Parliament will re-open next Tuesday.

The French Cabinet, meanwhile, reviewed military measures to protect the French Empire; considering a new, quick mobilization system and a plan to add three months to the two-year term of compulsory military service.

Gratitude which is poured out to God in regular and reverential worship reacts with blessing which makes the heart rejoice and the face to shine. It is the secret of a happy life.—D. W. Snider

Present Standing of Clubs in Old Country Soccer

LONDON, Jan. 28 (CP).—Standings in the English, Scottish and Irish Football Leagues, including games played today, follow:

ENGLISH LEAGUE

First Division

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Derby County	28	15	6	5	46	31	35
Everton	25	16	7	2	51	28	34
Wolverhampton W.	25	12	6	7	48	20	31
Liverpool	27	11	8	8	46	41	30
Middlesborough	27	11	9	7	56	48	29
Stoke City	27	11	9	7	45	48	29
Charlton Athletic	25	12	9	4	36	33	28
Bolton Wanderers	26	9	8	9	46	38	27
Leeds United	25	10	8	7	43	44	27
Arsenal	25	9	8	8	30	24	26
Sunderland	26	9	9	6	34	38	26
Manchester United	26	8	9	9	37	35	25
Grimsby Town	26	9	8	7	36	41	25
Aston Villa	25	10	11	4	42	39	24
Preston North End	25	9	10	6	37	39	24
Blackpool	26	7	11	8	31	44	22
Chelsea	25	8	12	5	45	49	21
Huddersfield Town	26	6	13	5	36	41	21
Brentford	24	7	11	6	32	50	20
Portsmouth	24	6	10	8	24	43	20
Leicester City	28	6	12	6	21	49	20
Birmingham	26	7	15	4	41	54	18

Second Division

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Blackburn Rovers	26	16	9	3	68	43	35
Sheffield United	28	11	4	11	44	28	33
Coventry City	25	14	7	4	43	28	32
Sheffield Wednesday	25	14	8	5	63	43	31
Newcastle United	26	13	8	5	44	26	31
West Bromwich	25	13	8	4	64	50	30
Fulham	25	12	7	8	42	31	30
Manchester City	25	13	9	3	67	52	29
Luton Town	26	12	10	4	51	45	28
Tottenham Hotspurs	25	10	7	8	42	37	28
Burnley	27	10	9	8	36	37	28
Chesterfield	25	11	9	5	40	37	27
West Ham United	25	10	9	8	46	35	26
Millwall	2[illegible]	8	9	8	40	35	24
Bradford City	27	8	11	8	48	56	24
Plymouth Argyle	25	9	11	5	33	39	23
Bury	27	7	11	9	38	47	23
Southampton	25	7	12	6	34	49	20
Swansea	25	4	11	10	28	48	18
Notts Forest	25	5	14	6	31	60	16
Norwich	23	7	15	1	27	57	15
Tranmere Rovers	27	4	20	3	30	71	11

Third Division—Southern Section

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Newport County	26	17	5	4	41	28	38
Crystal Palace	25	11	6	8	48	33	32
Brighton & Hove Al	25	13	8	4	44	33	30
Aldershot	25	11	6	8	32	29	30
Reading	26	9	7	10	42	35	28
Queens Park Rangers	25	10	8	7	52	32	27
Notts County	23	11	7	5	22	25	27
Swindon Town	25	11	9	5	48	42	27
Northampton	26	12	11	3	37	38	27
Watford	26	10	10	6	40	36	26
Bristol City	26	10	10	6	41	43	26
Cardiff City	24	9	9	6	33	37	24
Exeter City	25	7	9	9	42	56	23
Ipswich Town	23	8	10	5	29	32	21
Torquay United	25	8	11	5	32	39	21
Mansfield Town	24	8	11	5	29	44	21
Southend United	2[illegible]	7	8	6	36	41	20
Port Vale	24	8	12	4	31	34	20
Bristol Rovers	2[illegible]	6	12	7	29	30	19
Clapton Orient	[illegible]	6	[illegible]	7	28	[illegible]	19
Bournemouth	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	17
Walsall	24	[illegible]	14	5	26	39	15

Third Division—Northern Section

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Barnsley	27	19	4	4	62	25	42
Southport	24	14	3	7	56	27	35
Bradford City	26	15	8	3	59	34	32
Doncaster	25	12	4	9	48	30	33
Doncaster Rovers	25	12	4	9	48	30	33
Oldham Athletic	26	15	9	2	50	39	32
Crewe Alexandra	26	15	10	1	65	41	31
Hull City	25	12	9	5	57	48	29
Stockport County	24	10	7	7	54	43	27
New Brighton	27	11	11	5	44	46	27
Rotherham United	27	11	12	4	44	44	26
Rochdale	27	10	12	5	59	50	25
Chester	23	10	8	5	53	45	25
Halifax Town	26	9	10	7	27	32	25
Barrow	27	11	13	3	44	49	25
Wrexham	27	10	13	4	40	57	24
Darlington	26	9	12	5	45	62	23
Lincoln City	26	7	11	6	44	57	22
Carlisle United	25	8	12	5	39	65	21
Gateshead	25	7	12	6	42	49	20
York City	26	7	14	5	37	56	19
Hartlepool	27	6	17	4	35	65	16
Accrington Stanley	28	2	20	4	24	64	8

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

First Division

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Rangers	28	20	3	5	94	45	45
Hearts	28	16	8	4	75	47	36
Aberdeen	26	15	8	5	73	47	35
Celtic	27	13	7	7	77	41	33
Queen of South	28	13	9	6	49	47	32
Hamilton Acads.	28	14	10	4	52	51	32
Falkirk	28	13	10	5	56	51	31
Kilmarnock	27	12	8	7	53	55	31
Motherwell	28	12	11	5	61	60	29
Clyde	27	13	12	2	58	54	28
Hibernians	28	12	12	4	59	53	28
Partick Thistle	27	12	12	3	48	59	27
St. Johnstone	28	11	13	4	59	69	26
Third Lanark	27	9	11	7	63	70	25
Ayr United	28	8	13	7	53	64	23
St. Mirren	28	8	14	6	42	57	22
Queen's Park	27	8	15	4	40	59	20
Arbroath	28	6	15	7	34	61	19
Raith Rovers	28	7	19	2	52	78	16
Albion Rovers	28	6	18	4	44	76	16

Second Division

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Cowdenbeath	24	19	2	3	78	33	41
East Fife	25	17	4	4	74	41	38
Alloa	25	17	5	3	72	33	37
Airdrieonians	24	13	8	5	59	44	31
Dunfermline	23	11	8	4	63	49	26
Dumbarton	23	8	6	9	49	47	25
Dundee United	24	11	10	3	44	46	25
Dundee	24	9	11	4	65	50	22
St. Bernards	23	9	10	4	56	58	22
Morton	23	8	9	6	43	46	22
Stenhousemuir	23	9	10	4	41	45	22
Brechin City	24	7	9	8	61	72	22
Forfar Athletic	23	9	12	3	72	86	19
King's Park	22	8	13	1	59	54	17
Montrose	24	6	14	4	56	73	16
East Stirling	23	9	13	4	86	88	16
Leith Athletic	23	6	15	2	39	56	14
Edinburgh City	22	2	17	3	24	87	7

IRISH LEAGUE

	P	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	P
Celtic	28	19	5	2	97	32	40
Ballymena	28	15	8	5	63	54	35
Derry City	26	15	8	3	84	47	33
Portadown	26	15	8	3	84	56	33
Linfield	26	14	10	2	58	40	30
Glentoran	26	14	11	1	65	69	29
Glenavon	26	12	10	4	67	57	28
Ards	26	11	9	6	63	66	26
Newry Town	26	9	9	8	43	48	26
Distillery	26	9	13	4	53	58	22
Larne	26	9	14	4	46	74	20
Bangor	26	8	12	7	36	72	19
Belfast Celtic	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	38	81	[illegible]
Coleraine	26	3	20	3	40	87	9

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Lard, Shamrock or Maple Leaf, 1-lb. carton 10c
Eggs, Grade A large, dozen 27c
Medium, dozen 25c
Shoulder Picnics, Smoked per lb. 19c
Sweet Pickles, per lb. 17c
Squirrel Peanut Butter, No. 2 tin 30c
Bacon, Freshly smoked. Mild, cured, sliced. Side. Seal of Quality, lb. 34c
Back, Seal of Quality, lb. 40c
Ayrshire, Sliced, lb. 25c
Cottage Rolls, Smoked, lb. 26c
Sweet Pickled, lb. 24c
Sausages, Swift or Shamrock, 1's, tin 35c
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Jellied Veal and Chicken, lb. 45c
Veal or Cheese Loaf, lb. 25c
Jellied Veal and Ham, lb. 25c
Jellied Veal, lb. 35c
Pacific Wieners, lb. 25c
Dill Pickles 3 for 10c
MEAT PIES—Hot From Our Own Ovens
Pork at 3 for 25c
All-Chicken Pies 2 for 25c
Beef or Veal and Ham Pies 2 for 15c
Cottage Cheese, Country Fresh 2 lbs. 25c
Potato Salad, Fresh and so tasty! Lb. 15c
Jellied Ox Tongue, lb. 48c
Kraft Cheese, Plain or Pimento, ½-lb. packet 18c

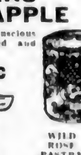
Biscuit Specials
Weston's Cookies, 4 varieties, Cello packets containing 2½ dozen approx. 2 pkts. 25c
Ormond's Cream Crackers, Plain or Salted, packet 15c
I.B.C. Dundee Shortbread 2 lbs. 25c
Peek, Frean's Bourbon (Chocolate Sandwich), pkt. 25c

Bakery Specials
McLean's Cream-Filled Wafers. Deliciously different. Special at, dozen 22c
Imperial Fruit Cake. Filled with delicious fresh fruits, per lb. 28c
Sultana Slab Cake, approximately 4½-lb. slab 65c

H B C QUALITY TEAS and COFFEES
Our Teas Are All Choice Selected and Blended. Our Coffees Are All Fresh Roasted Thermalo Processed
No. 1 Broken Orange Pekoe Tea. A quality tea of good strength and fine flavor. Regular 65c. Special, lb. 59c
H B C Country Club Tea. A very fragrant tea, lb. 70c
H B C Hostess Tea, lb. 60c
H B C Cavendish Tea, lb. 50c
Fort Garry Tea. A tea with a fine, uniform flavor, 1-lb. packet 65c
Fort York Tea. A new and fine blend, 1-lb. packet 55c
Breakfast Blend Tea. An economical tea with a fine flavor. Regular 48c. Special, 45c 3 lbs. 1.25
Country Club Coffee. Rich and mellow, lb. 45c
Cavendish Coffee. Fresh roasted and ground to suit your method of making, lb. 30c
Fort York Coffee, 1-lb. vacuum-packed tin 38c
Fort Garry Coffee. The finest coffee packed in tins, 1-lb. tin 45c

Candy Specials
Chocolate or Vanilla Brazil Fudge, lb. 29c
Palm Toffee, assorted, lb. 23c
Neilson's Chocolate Brazil Slab, lb. 47c

BIRKS PINEAPPLE
Rich golden, luscious fruit. Sliced, Cubed and Crushed.
3 tins 37c



CANNED FRUITS, VEGETABLES AND JUICES
Aylmer Cut Green Beans, 17-oz. tins 3 for 25c
Royal Prince Peas, No. 2's, size 5's 3 for 26c
Aylmer Peas, size 3's, 17-oz. tins 2 for 27c
Royal City Golden Bantam Corn, 17-oz. tins 3 for 26c
Aylmer Sweet White Corn, 17-oz. tins 3 for 28c
Aylmer Tomatoes, large 2½ tins 10c
Libby's Tomato Juice. A healthful drink, 14½-oz. tins 2 for 13c
20-oz. tins 2 for 17c
Aylmer Choice Asparagus Tips, 10½-oz. tin 19c
Dole's Pineapple Juice, 12-oz. tins 2 for 21c
Lynn Valley Apricots, 15-oz. tins 2 for 25c
Lynn Valley Peaches, 2's, squat 2 tins 27c
St. Francis Nectarines, from sunny California, large 2½ tins 39c
Polk's Grapefruit, 8-oz. tins. Special 2 for 19c
Saanich Strawberries, 2's, squat, tin 18c
Polk's Grapefruit Juice, 13½-oz. tins 2 for 23c
Saanich Bartlett Pears, 2's, squat 2 for 27c
Norris Diced Pineapple, 4½'s 2 tins 21c

WILD ROSE PASTRY FLOUR For Successful Baking
10-lb. sack 47c
24-lb. sack 1.09

FLOUR SPECIAL FOR THE MONTH-END
Robin Hood, Five Roses, Royal Household and Purity
24-lb. sack 88c | 49-lb. sack 1.65 | 98-lb. sack 3.19

Magic Baking Powder, 16-oz. tin 30c
2½-lb. tin 70c
Icing Sugar, per lb. 8c
Brown Sugar 4 lbs. 24c
Sugar, B.C. Finest Granulated: 10-lb. sack 65c; 20-lb. sack 1.25; 100-lb. sack 5.65
Libby's Cooked Spaghetti, 16-oz. tins 3 for 26c
Hedlund's Potted Meats, assorted 3 tins 25c

CANNED FISH
Birks' Tuna Fish. Solid white meat, ½'s 2 tins 23c
½'s at 2 tins 31c
King Oscar Sardines 2 tins 27c
Birks' Shrimps. Wet or dry pack, tin 19c
Snowcap Minced Clams, ½'s 2 tins 27c
Horseshoe Salmon, ½'s, per tin, 18c 2 for 35c
Tiger Salmon, ½'s, per tin, 14c 2 for 27c
Jiffy Boiled Dinner and Meat Balls 3 tins 27c

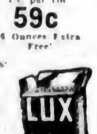
Helmet Corned Beef, 1's, per tin, 14c 2 for 27c
Rogers' Golden Syrup, 2's, per tin 15c
Nabob Jelly Powders, assorted flavors 3 pkts. 10c
Empress Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. tin 55c
Seedless Raisins 2 lbs. 27c
Seeded Raisins 2 lbs. 31c
Australian Sultanas 2 lbs. 23c
Walnut Pieces, light amber, lb. 26c
Sair Dates, fresh stock 4 lbs. 23c
VI-TONE SPECIAL 24-oz. tin for 79c With 8-oz. tin Vi-Tone for 1c
Beekist Honey, 6-oz. cartons 2 for 19c
BREAKFAST FOODS
Quaker Oats, large packet 23c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes 3 pkts. 28c With a Cereal Bowl FREE
Tastiquick Puffed Wheat or Rice 2 pkts. 17c
Shredded Wheat, packet 11c

Prunes, Del Monte, 60-70's 3 lbs. 22c
Happy-Vale Pickles. Sweet or Sour Mixed and Mustard, 32-oz. jar 26c
Fetherlite Cake Flour, 2¾-lb. packet 23c
COLD WEATHER SPECIALS
Soup Mix 2 lbs. 17c
Pearl Barley 2 lbs. 15c
Small White Beans, lb. 5c
Dried Green Peas, lb. 7c
No. 1 Rice 2 lbs. 15c
MALT SPECIAL H B C Malt, Light or Dark, 3-lb. tin 1.03

CLEANERS, SOAPS, SOAP POWDERS, ETC.
Classic Cleanser, carton 6c
Bon Ami Powder, carton 15c
Eureka Bleach, bottle 10c
Reckitt's Blue 2 pkts. 11c
Shell Furniture Polish, to give your furniture that new look. Regular 30c, ½-pint bottle 19c Limited Quantity
Pet Dog Food 3 tins 28c
Kiwi Shoe Polish. Made in England. Black, Brown or Tan, tin 8c

CLARK'S ASSORTED SOUPS 3 tins 23c
CLARK'S PORK AND BEANS 16-oz. tins 2 for 15c

JOHNSON'S PASTE FLOOR WAX 1's, per tin 59c 4 Ounces Extra Free!



LEVER BROTHERS' PRODUCTS
Lifebuoy Soap 4 cakes 29c
Sunlight Soap 4 bars 25c
Lux Flakes, large packet 23c
Pearl White Soap 5 bars 23c
New Royal Crown Soap Powder, Special, packet 19c
Oxydol, large packet 24c
Kleerflush, tin 15c
Navy Toilet Tissue 7 large rolls 50c
Cutrite Wax Paper, 125-foot roll, packet 27c

SPECIAL SALE—HEINZ 57 VARIETIES

BAKED BEANS (4 Kinds) With Pork and Tomato Sauce
Handy tins 3 for 27c
Medium tins 2 for 27c
Large family size 2 for 37c
RED KIDNEY—Handy 2 for 19c Medium 2 for 29c
OLD-FASHIONED BOSTON STYLE—18-oz. tins 2 for 35c
VEGETARIAN—without meat, handy 3 for 27c Medium 2 for 29c

TOMATO KETCHUP Large size 2 for 39c Adds zest to any meal. Each 20c
CREAM OF TOMATO SOUP Large family size, 29-oz. tins 22c
COOKED SPAGHETTI Handy size 3 for 27c Medium size 2 for 27c
CHILI SAUCE or TOMATO CHUTNEY, bottle 25c
FRESH CUCUMBER PICKLE, large 20-oz. jars 25c
SOUPS—15 Varieties, 10-oz. tins 3 for 27c
COOKED MACARONI (in Cream Sauce), 16-oz. tins 2 for 28c

New Low Prices on Shirriff's Marmalade
Famous Rich Quality Marmalade

Shirriff's Good Morning Marmalade
2-lb. jar 35c 1-lb. jar 21c
4-lb. tin 53c
Seville Pure Orange Marmalade
4-lb. tin 49c
32-oz. jar 29c 16-oz. jar 19c

HEINZ STRAINED FOODS FOR BABIES AND INVALIDS 11 KINDS 3 TINS FOR 25c

STRAINED FOODS
Doctors Recommend It
12 VARIETIES
3 Tins 25c

The Bay's 2-Day Month-End CLEARANCE SALE

Charge Purchases Made on Monday and Tuesday, January 30 and 31, Will Appear on February Accounts . . . Payable March 10!

You'll find shopping more convenient when you have a charge account . . . and at the end of the month you receive an itemized statement showing all purchases you have made. If you do not already enjoy the convenience of a BAY Charge Account, we invite you to see our Accounts' Adviser, Fourth Floor, who will be pleased to give you full details.

An Opportunity for Substantial Savings on Requirements for You . . . Your Family and Your Home . . . Check Every Item on This Page . . . Then Shop at THE BAY Monday, for These and Many More Outstanding Values

STREET FLOOR

SALE OF IRISH LINEN
HANDKERCHIEFS
REGULAR 3 FOR 50c
Fresh, fine sheer linens direct from Belfast . . . Whites . . . Colored Borders . . . Gay Prints. Special at .... 4 for 49c

REGULAR 29c BOXED LINEN
HANDKERCHIEFS
Colored Border Linen Hankies . . . 3 in box . . . Ideal for gift or personal use .... 2 boxes 45c

REGULAR 39c BOXED LINEN
HANDKERCHIEFS
Better Linen Hankies in all-white or white with color embroidery . . . 3 in box .... 2 boxes 65c

REGULAR 98c WOMEN'S
FANCY SCARVES
Gay, colorful satins in a variety of smart painted floral and Paisley designs. Special at, each 69c
Accessories

HALF-PRICE SALE OF
ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS
Included are Roses, Tulips, Daisies, Lilac, Carnations, Lilies, Ferns, Leaves, etc. Regular 2 for 25c. Special .... 4 for 25c
Art Needlework

HAND-MADE
WORK BASKETS
Attractive raffia hand-made Chinese Baskets in a choice of three sizes . . . Splendid for sewing or knitting.
Regular 19c for 14c
Regular 29c for 23c
Regular 39c for 32c
Art Needlework

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REDUCED FOR CLEARANCE!
Group 1 includes Vincent Sheean's "Personal History" . . . M. B. Jones' "Peter Called the Great" . . . and many others. Regular $1.29. Special, each 94c
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COMPENDIUMS
100 ONLY! REGULAR 39c AND 49c
Good quality paper and envelopes in many smart shades . . . Made in England. Special at 33c

CALENDOX
The popular clock-type perpetual calendar . . . Good any year . . . Sturdy metal and simulated leather construction. Regular 50c for 37c
Notions and Stationery

MINIMUM PRICES ON DRUGS AND TOILETRIES
SCOTT'S EMULSION, Largest size bottle 98c
SQUIBB'S TOOTH PASTE, 3 Large tubes for 95c
PEPSODENT TOOTH PASTE, Largest size tube 37c
ENO'S FRUIT SALT, Household size 79c
POND'S COLD CREAM, 4-Oz. Jar for 49c
PHILLIPS' MILK OF MAGNESIA, Large bottle 43c
H B C MILK OF MAGNESIA, 32-Oz. bottle 69c
Drugs and Toiletries

STREET FLOOR

500 YARDS FABRICS
A special clearing assortment, including pure linen roller towelling, white flannelette, rayon taffeta, cotton prints, cotton broadcloths, per yard 15c

ENGLISH STRIPE FLANNELETTE
36 Inches wide . . . Strong, serviceable weight for sturdy pyjamas. Attractive colored stripe effects. Regular 20c yard for, per yard 18c

ENGLISH BATH TOWELS
Ideal for everyday use . . . Good, serviceable colors that will launder well. Each 33c

ODDMENTS IN TOWELS
A limited quantity only of fancy and English lino bath towels. Each 43c

ASBESTOS MAT SETS
3-Piece sets to protect your table. Washable brown, peach or white. Regular 50c for, set 48c

EMBROIDERED RUNNERS
Colored grass linen runners, with dainty applique hand embroidery. Regular 79c for, each 56c

CHAIR-BACK SETS
Hand-made lace sets to protect your chairs and chesterfield; 3-piece sets. Regular 79c for, set 56c

LINEN BRIDGE SETS
Colorful pure linen sets in gay checks . . . Cloth, 36 x 36, and 4 napkins. . . . Boxed. Regular $1.29 for 73c

RAYON LUNCHEON CLOTHS
Scottish rayons with colorful borders. Size 52 x 52. Regular $1.10 for, each 79c

UNBLEACHED SHEETS
A few tubbings will bleach them white . . . Medium weight . . . size 70 x 90. Each 79c

IRISH LINEN PILLOW CASES
Finished with neat hand-drawn hemstitching. Regular $1.95 pair for, per pair 1.49

DAMASK CLOTHS
Made in Ireland from pure linen bleached snow white; 70 x 70. Regular $2.98 for 1.93

RAYON SETS
Lovely pastel rayons made in Ireland . . . Washable shades . . . Neatly boxed. 52 x 52. Regular $3.50 for, set 2.67
52 x 70. Regular $4.50 for, set 3.67

MOIRE BEDSPREADS
A limited quantity only of colors and sizes. Regular $6.95 for 5.43
Staples

ASH TRAYS
Imported china ash trays . . . Ideal as bridge gifts or for general home use. Regular 25c .... 2 for 25c
Notions and Stationery

PONGEE SILK
Suitable for drapes, cushions, blouses, lingerie, etc.; 27 inches wide. Yard 19c

SILKS AND WOOLS
Clearance lines of silks and wool fabrics on sale at 1/3 OFF REGULAR PRICES. Coatings, Suitings, Dress Crepes, Printed Silks and Novelties.
Fabrics

STREET FLOOR

MEN'S LEATHER OPERA SLIPPERS
REGULAR $4.00 PAIR
Fine quality black and brown kidskin slippers, with turn leather soles. Good range of sizes collectively. On sale at, pair 2.69
Men's Shoes

75 ONLY! BOYS'
ALL-WOOL PULLOVERS
Excellent qualities, knit from all-wool yarns, in plain shades and contrasting trims. Majority sizes 30 to 34. Regular $2.95 for, each 1.47

BOYS' ZIPPER SWEATERS
9 Only! Sport style with full zipper. Size 34. Regular $4.50 for, each 2.95

BOYS' BRUSHED WOOL PULLOVERS
20 Only! Excellent school sweaters . . . Part zipper fastener. Regular $1.00. On sale at, each 59c

BOYS' GOLF SOCKS
Knit from wool mixture yarns . . . reinforced at knees and toes . . . Finished with contrasting tops. Special at, pair 39c

BOYS' COMBINATIONS
Medium weight. Knit from soft cotton yarns in natural shade. No sleeves . . . knee length. Regular 79c for 59c

MEN'S PULLOVERS
23 Only! English and Canadian makes . . . in wool mixture yarns. V neck and part zipper fastener. Reg. $1.95 for 1.39

BOYS' BOW TIES
In neat patterns for school wear. Regular 25c for, each 10c

MEN'S TIES
Made up from short ends of higher-priced materials . . . Good patterns and shades . . . Special, each 29c

ODDMENTS
Including Mouth Organs, Knives, Pencils. Each 5c

BOYS' TRENCH COATS
9 Only! Fawn shade . . . size 12 years only. Regular $3.29 for, each 1.95

MEN'S WORK PANTS
20 Pairs Only! Durable cottonade and whipcords . . . sizes 38-44. Regular $1.00 and $1.59 for, pair 79c

MEN'S ENGLISH TRENCH COATS
20 Only! Heavy-weight Paramatta cloth . . . fawn shade . . . Sizes 36 to 44. Regular $5.95 for, each 4.69

MEN'S SUITS
4 Only! Well-tailored dark worsted suits in sizes 35 and 36. Regular $10.00. Special, each 6.95
Men's and Boys' Clothing

PADDED HANGERS
Heavy padded type, covered in polka dot cotton. Regular 25c. To clear at .... 3 for 25c
Notions and Stationery

STREET FLOOR **STREET FLOOR**

DRUGS and TOILETRIES Specially Priced

H B C Cold Sore Lotion. Regular 25c 18c
H B C Factor Cough Syrup; 8-oz. bottle. Regular 75c 59c
H B C Cod Liver Oil, 16-oz. bottle. Regular 60c 49c
Juvenol, 4 only. Regular $2.00. To clear at 1.00
H B C Sorbo Rub, Green Liniment. Regular 75c 59c
Hot Water Bottles, 1-year guarantee; 55c .... 2 for 1.00
Mecca Ointment, 50c tin for 44c
Beecham's Pills, Large box 39c
Daggett & Ramsdell's Cold Cream. Regular $1.00; 8-oz. jar for 83c
Rot-Nip, tube 23c
Psyllium Seed, Finest dark, recleaned; 1-lb. carton 29c
Bath Dusting Powder and Toilet Water. Both for 39c
Cedar Chest, containing 10 packets Bath Salts. Regular $1.25 for 89c
Attachment Sets. Regular 49c 38c
Lambert After-Shave Lotion. Regular 39c for 21c
Drugs and Toiletries

SECOND FLOOR **SECOND FLOOR**

Clearance of WOMEN'S FELT HATS
REGULAR $2.95 AND $3.95 — AT HALF PRICE!
All hats that were originally much higher priced . . . and now offered at HALF PRICE for final clearance! Dressy and tailored types in shades of wine, green, navy, brown, rust and black . . . An excellent opportunity to secure a smart new hat to round out your Winter wardrobe. On Sale at, Each .... 1.47 and 1.97
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Lingerie and Cotton Dresses

INTERLOCK UNDIES
Reduced for clearance to HALF PRICE. Imported Vests, Panties and Bloomers of finest grade Egyptian cotton in various weights. Cream shade only. VESTS have built-up shoulders or short sleeves . . . Medium, large and outsizes. Regular 49c each. On Sale at, each 24c
PANTIES AND BLOOMERS
Panties with cuff, and bloomers with inserted elastic at waist and knee. Medium, large and outsizes. Regular 59c each. On Sale at, each 29c
PANTIES AND BLOOMERS
Medium size only. Reg. 69c. On Sale at, each 34c
Lingerie

COTTON FROCKS
A splendid opportunity to purchase two or more cotton print home frocks at special savings! Fashioned with short sleeves in several smart styles . . . all color-fast . . . Perfect condition, but style and size range is broken. Regular $1.29 and $1.48. To clear at 98c
SMOCKS
In Artist or Dirndl styles, ¾ length . . . long sleeves . . . A variety of attractive prints, and a few plain shades. Regular $1.29 and $1.49 for, each 98c
Cotton Frock Shop

Clearance of FOUNDATIONS
Regular values from $4.50 to $12.00 for HALF PRICE. Included are Lady Mac, Nemo, Gossard Corselettes, Girdles and Corsets. Don't miss these bargains . . . On sale at .... 2.25 to 6.00
Corsets

A MONTH-END CLEARANCE OF
30 WOMEN'S DRESSES
Already Reduced . . . And Now Marked at a Further Reduction
An assortment of well styled quality frocks grouped for clearance to make room for the new Spring stock. Frocks suitable for daytime, informal evening wear, teas, and a few formal evening gowns . . . Fashioned from novelty crepes, blister crepes, new silks and taffeta . . . with distinctive trimmings. All smart frocks, but in odd sizes only, for misses and women.
17 Only. Present price $6.95. On sale at, each — 2 Only. Present price $8.95. On sale at, each — 4 Only. Present price $10.95. On sale at, each $5
4 Only. Present price $14.95. On sale at, each — 3 Only. Present price $19.75. On sale at, each $10
Women's Dresses

THIRD FLOOR **THIRD FLOOR**

SPECIAL SALE OF
TRI-COLOR BUNTING
Prepare NOW for the visit of Their Majesties King George and Queen Elizabeth. Secure the Bunting you'll need to decorate your store or home . . . give them a Royal welcome. And what better opportunity to purchase than NOW . . . at these special prices. Tri-Color Bunting in red, white and blue.
26 Inches wide. Regular 19c yard. Special, per yard 13c
40 Inches wide. Regular 25c yard. Special, per yard 19c
Draperies

BUY ON "THE BAY" BUDGET PLAN
On purchases totaling $15.00 or over, pay one-third cash, and the balance in 30 and 60 days.

Men's Broadcloth PYJAMAS
Regular $1.59.
Men! Here are the pyjamas you'll like . . . and at a price you'll welcome. Tailored from good-wearing broadcloth in roomy fitting sizes . . . Strongly sewn . . . fast colors . . . Lapel collar style. Sizes 36 to 44. Special at 1.29
Men's Furnishings, Street Floor

Half-Price Clearance of Men's CHURCH'S SHOES
Regular $12.50 and $13.50 Pair for .... 6.25 and 6.75
43 Pairs only . . . at this amazing reduction. A group of discontinued lines in Church's Shoes . . . Famous for their quality, fit and service. Check this group . . . see if your size is here.

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Men's Shoes, Street Floor

Mystery Chiffon HOSE
Women who have worn this famous hose will want to stock up with many pairs at this special price! Sheer 51-gauge 3-thread chiffon . . . so flattering in appearance. Irregulars of $1.50 line . . . Good range of colors, and sizes 8½ to 10½ collectively. Pair 89c

Imported Kid Gloves
Popular styles in slip-on kid gloves. Expertly fashioned from fine flexible skins, and perfect in every detail. Brown, black, navy, collectively. Sizes 6 to 7¼. Pair 1.33
Gloves and Hosiery, Street Floor

Clearance of Women's Quality SHOES
Regular $8.00, $8.50, $9.00 and $10.00 Pair
95 Pairs only . . . including Smardon's Sport Ease . . . Golden Pheasants . . . and Cantilevers. All well known makes, renowned for their superb quality and perfect fit . . . Not all sizes in each group, but a good selection collectively . . . Be sure to shop early and avoid disappointment. On sale at, pair 4.95
Women's Shoes, Fashion Floor

ONE-THIRD OFF TODDLERS' COATS
Included are coats, also two and three-piece sets, tailored from blanket cloth chinchillas and tweeds . . . Sizes 1½ to 6x. Formerly priced at $3.98 to $9.98. Now reduced to .... 2.65 to 6.65

ONE-HALF OFF WINTER DRESSES
Good looking cosy little frocks in sizes 7 to 14x . . . Smartly fashioned tweeds, plaids, wool crepes and velvets . . . Now marked at $3.98, $4.98 and $5.98. To clear at 1.99, 2.49, 2.99
Children's Wear, Fashion Floor

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It's the event you've been waiting for . . . that will mean important savings on things you're needing for your home.

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Your Health and Your Weight

WHY WEIGHT AND HEALTH ARE RELATED

By JAS. W. BARTON, M.D.

You may wonder why there is so much written about weight and its relation to health and, what is even a more serious matter, the relation between weight and death (or life expectancy). It is not hard to look for the reason because every life insurance company watches the weight more than any other thing as an indication of the degree of health of its prospective policyholder. And all insurance companies, because they are insuring all types of people, have obtained the same results as far as their tables of health and weight are concerned.

Dr. William R. P. Emerson, Boston, and Dr. J. Grant Irving, New Haven, in Journal of the American Medical Association, say: "In judging physical fitness we have found weight for height a valuable measure of optimum (best for individual) health. It is important to remember that the average weight of the actuarial or insurance table is not normal weight."

It was found that in the earlier ages, twenty to thirty, the death rate increases for those below the best of normal weight, while for the later periods of life (over thirty) the death rate increases for those above optimum weight.

What is really the best or optimum weight for those under and those above thirty years of age?

"That range of weight is considered best for which there is the lowest death rate, from 5 to 15 per cent above the average weight for height." This means that a man, under thirty years of age, five feet 7 inches, whose weight should be 145 pounds, and a woman under thirty, five feet four inches, whose weight should be 122 pounds would have a better life expectancy if they weighed about 157 and 130 pounds respectively. In those over thirty, being from 5 to 15 per cent below average weight for height increases the life expectancy.

The figures show the danger of overweight at the older ages. It was found that the death rate increased about 1 per cent for each pound above the optimum or best weight.

A fair measure of life expectancy is the condition of the blood vessels—a man is as old as his arteries. In speaking of high blood pressure and overweight Dr. Irving states:

"There were forty men with hypertension (high blood pressure) in the high death rate class of overweight. The range of their weight was from twenty-one to ninety-two pounds above the optimum weight for height and from thirty-seven to 111 pounds above the average weight for height. Twenty-eight of these men followed our programme and reduced their weights 252 pounds with an average loss for each man of nine pounds. They reduced their blood pressure 548 points (millimetres) with an average reduction of nineteen. The range in time was from one month to five years and the average period was twenty-seven months. The average number of visits to the health or weight clinic was thirty."

When it is realized that high blood pressure is the cause of such accidents as apoplexy or stroke and coronary thrombosis, it is very much worth while then to extend the lifespan and avoid these accidents by the simple method of eating less food.

The results obtained in a group of 642 men taking advantage of the health clinic were evidenced by a prompt improvement in their physical condition; 199 overweight men reduced their weight 1,079 pounds and 159 underweight men gained 802 pounds. Also there was a reduction of 51 per cent in days off from sickness.

I believe the above figures tell their story very plainly, the nearer we keep to our best weight, the better the health and the longer the life expectancy. There was one more important point brought out by this study of these life insurance employees and that is that while overweight in itself is a serious danger to health and life expectancy, the by-products or wastes left in the system by eating more food than was needed—not enough exercise taken—were really more powerful causes of high blood pressure than the excess weight itself. This does not mean so much that we should eat less; it means, in most cases, that we should work or exercise more and thus leave less waste to raise the blood pressure and cause other disturbances in the body.

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BUCKLEY'S THROAT-AIDS

These pleasant medicated gums keep your mouth fresh—your breath sweet—your throat clear. At all druggists. 10¢ and 25¢

That Body of Yours

By JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

THE MEDICAL CARE OF ELDERLY PEOPLE

About the year 1500 the average span of human life was about thirty-one years. In 1800 300 years later it had risen to thirty-five years, and by 1840 in the United States, it had risen to forty years of age. That is, in 300 years it had risen only four years and in only forty years it had risen five years. In 1900 it was about forty-nine and in 1930 about sixty years, and today it is sixty-five years. This means that the span of human life has been raised fifteen years in a space of less than forty years.

The cause of the great lengthening of the life span in recent years is due mostly to the saving of lives at birth and during the first year by children's specialists who are called pediatricians. Many lives are also saved by the successful fight against infectious diseases such as smallpox, diphtheria, malaria, plague, tuberculosis and others.

Naturally if children's lives are saved, more of them will reach old age. And because many more now reach old age, another class of specialists, geriatricians, is now helping these old people to be comfortable, free of pain, and able to occupy their hours in useful employment or enjoyment.

As it is during the fifth decade—between the age of forty and fifty—that the signs of old age or advancing years first begin to show, some very sound suggestions are given by Dr. W. G. Evans, Dallas, Texas, in Medical World.

"Elderly people must be kept out of bed and stirring as long as possible. Confine one to bed for a considerable time and his muscles lose whatever 'tone' they might have, tend to dry and harden, and it may be actually painful to resume activity. Longer hours of rest are necessary or at least shorter hours of activity, broken by one or more hours of rest in the middle of the day or early afternoon. Two hours sleep at this time is a most helpful measure in many cases.

"We doctors must be tolerant with elderly people. Listen to their stories, make note of all symptoms, be thorough in physical and laboratory examinations. Then we may, if no organic trouble is present, be able to work out a routine of living, eating, exercising and resting. We may see the restoration of a failing man or woman to many more years of usefulness and activity. If we do not add more years to their lives we may add much more life to their years."

IF YOU FEEL SUNK
Read this and cheer up

Are you so blue that life is no longer worth living? Do you cry easily? Do you feel low, mean, depressed—just absolutely SUNK?

Then here's good news for you in case you need a good general system tonic—Just take famous Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Let its wholesome herbs and roots help Nature build up more physical resistance and tone up your system, so that it can more easily throw off the "blues" and give more energy to enjoy life.

MILLIONS of women have depended upon this Compound and have passed the word along to friends and neighbors, and to their children.

Why not take Pinkham's Compound and go "smiling thru"?

The following conversation is an instance of rural politeness.

"How's the harvest?"

"Not so bad. How's your pigs?"

"Fine. Is your mare still ill?"

"No, she's all right now. Is your cow cured too?"

"Yes. Well, I'm very glad everything's all right up at your place. How's the wife?"

Ladysmith Club Honors Burns at Annual Banquet

LADYSMITH, Jan. 27. — Around two hundred persons assembled in the Native Sons' Hall here to celebrate the anniversary of Robert Burns, the Scottish poet.

Sponsored by the Burns Club Ladies' Auxiliary, the evening was one of six hours' crowded entertainment. Opening with a concert replete with the bard's famous songs, a typical Scottish banquet followed, where the haggis, piped gaily around the tables, was the central feature.

J. [illegible] was toastmaster and D. Davidson said the "Burns' Grace." Rev. B. H. Smith toasted "The Immortal Memory" in a lively and impressive manner, while T. Collinge responded to the toast to "The Lassies," and R. S. Wood to "Home and Abroad."

DIES AT NANAIMO

NANAIMO, Jan. 28.—Jean Baptiste Ooms, seventy-nine, died in Nanaimo Hospital after a residence in Nanaimo of thirty-nine years. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon from St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church.

SPENCER FOODS

Monday Values—Cash and Carry

MEATS AS CUT IN CASE

Boiling Beef, lb. 7¢	Soup Bones, each 7¢	Thick Suet, lb. 6¢
Pork Liver, lb. 9¢	Pork Kidney, lb. 9¢	Oxford Sausage, lb. 9¢
Breasts Veal, lb. 9¢	Small Hearts, lb. 7¢	Cross-Rib Roasts, lb. 11¢
Shoulder Steak, lb. 10¢	Pork Steak, lb. 18¢	Veal Steak, lb. 16¢
Stew Beef, 2 lbs. 20¢	Minced Steak, lb. 10¢	Mutton Chops, lb. 13¢
Cottage Cheese, lb. 11¢	Sooke Cheese, lb. 25¢	Mild Cheese, lb. 19¢
Large Eggs, A Grade, doz. 26¢	Veal Loaf, ½ lb. 8¢	Libby's Kraut, 2 lbs. 13¢
Side Bacon, Sliced, ½ lb. 12¢	Pure Lard, lb. 9¢	Ayrshire Bacon, lb. 23¢

SERVICE MEATS DELIVERED
PHONE SERVICE FROM 8 A.M.

Minced Round Steak, lb. / Little Pig Sausage, lb. 16¢ — Plate Beef, lb. 9¢
Rib Lamb Chops, lb. 23¢ — Flank Steak, lb. 18¢
Steaks, Round, lb., 23¢ — T-Bone, lb., 25¢ — Sirloin, lb., 28¢

DAVID SPENCER LIMITED

AROUND the DIAL

TODAY

11:00 a.m.—The eighth anniversary of the birth of Victor Herbert will be commemorated on the Magic Key programme. The one hour broadcast will be devoted entirely to music by this composer. KJR, KGO.

1:30 p.m.—The first of a new series of programmes entitled "God's Hour" will be heard at this time. These broadcasts will be under the direction of Rev. L. A. Wilcox, D.D., formerly of Los Angeles. CFCT.

5:00 p.m.—Nelson Eddy will make his final radio appearance of the season during this broadcast. Don Ameche, master of ceremonies, will introduce as his guest star, Maureen O'Sullivan. KOMO, KPO, KFI.

7:00 p.m.—Noel Coward, English playwright, composer and actor, will be initiated into The Circle by President Ronald Colman, Secretary Carole Lombard and Beadle Cary Grant, during their programme at this time. KOMO, KPO, KFI.

8:30 p.m.—Kenny Baker will sing a medley of Stephen Foster songs and the orchestra under Phil Harris will offer its version of "Umbrella Man" and "It's the Strangest Thing" during this half-hour programme starring Jack Benny. KOMO, KPO, KFI.

9:00 p.m.—A half-hour programme of mirth and melody with the cast of Sunday Smiles will be broadcast. "Mac" MacKay is master of ceremonies, with the music being supplied by the Royal Victorians. CFCT.

TOMORROW

6:00 p.m.—Cecil B. DeMille will bring Bob Burns and Fay Bainter to the "Radio Theatre" programme in the memorable story of the "Arkansas Traveler." KIRO, KVI, CBR.

7:00 p.m.—Songs of the Hawaiian Islands will be played and sung during the "Contented" programme, with Marek Weber's orchestra and Opal Craven.—KOMO, KFI, KPO.

7:30 p.m.—"Five ears of Mining in Canada" will be the title of an address which Hon. T. A. Crerar, Minister of Mines and Resources, will give in the "Canada's Resources" series. CBR.

8:30 p.m.—"Stars in My Eyes," by Fritz Kreisler, will be featured by Mart Kenney and his Western Gentlemen on this broadcast with Georgia Dey, Art Hallman and the trio. CBR.

8:30 p.m.—"Lohengrin's Farewell," from Wagner's Lohengrin, will be sung by Richard Crooks, tenor, with the orchestra directed by Alfred Wallenstein. KOMO, KFI, KPO.

Sunday's Programme

(The following programmes are compiled by the various broadcasting companies and are subject to change.)

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1450 Keys.)

11 00 a.m.—Christ Church Cathedral.
12 30 p.m.—Feature Time.
1 00 p.m.—Sunday Hour.
1 30 p.m.—Dr. Wilcox.
2 00 p.m.—Silent.
5 15 p.m.—Afternoon Concert.
5 30 p.m.—Christian Science.
5 45 p.m.—Concert Hour.
6 15 p.m.—Sacred Songs.
6 30 p.m.—Gospel Sunshine Hour.
7 00 p.m.—Melodic Interlude.
7 15 p.m.—Cathedral Bells.
7 30 p.m.—Christ Church Cathedral.
8 45 p.m.—News Summary.
9 00 p.m.—Sunday Smiles.
9 30 p.m.—Piano Musings. John Line.
10 00 p.m.—Silent.

CJOR, Vancouver (600 Keys.)

9 00 a.m.—B.C. Church of the Air.
9 30 a.m.—Request Hour.
10 30 a.m.—Sunday Song Service.
11 00 a.m.—Metropolitan Tabernacle.
12 30 p.m.—Concert Miniature.
12 45 p.m.—Ballad Music.
1 00 p.m.—Sunday Hour.
1 30 p.m.—Shut-In Programme.
1 45 p.m.—Musical Interlude.
2 00 p.m.—Kitsilano Band.
2 30 p.m.—Ukranian Talk.
3 00 p.m.—Famous Voices.
3 15 p.m.—Foursquare Gospel Lighthouse.
4 15 p.m.—Concert Time.
4 30 p.m.—Svenska Pressen.
5 00 p.m.—Scandinavian Baptist Mission.
5 15 p.m.—British-Israel Association.
6 00 p.m.—Concert Hall.
6 30 p.m.—McCullah Talk.
7 00 p.m.—News.
7 15 p.m.—Heroic Dogs.
7 30 p.m.—Christ Church Cathedral.
9 00 p.m.—News.
9 15 p.m.—Michelin Nocturna.

C.B.C. NETWORK

9 00 a.m.—Dr. Charles Courbin.
9 30 a.m.—Salt Lake City Tabernacle Choir.
10 00 a.m.—Musically Speaking.
10 30 a.m.—Salute of Nations.
11 00 a.m.—And It Came to Pass.
11 30 a.m.—The Catholic Hour.
12 00 noon—New York Philharmonic Orch.
2 00 p.m.—Church of the Air.
2 30 p.m.—London's Royal Palaces.
3 00 p.m.—Silver Theatre.
3 30 p.m.—The World Today.
4 00 p.m.—"Drums," drama.
4 30 p.m.—Vancouver Symphony.
5 00 p.m.—C.B.C. Symphony Hour.
6 00 p.m.—Reginald Stewart.
6 30 p.m.—The Lyric Trio and Alan McIvor.
7 00 p.m.—National Forum.
7 20 p.m.—By the Sea.
8 00 p.m.—The News.
8 15 p.m.—The Art Singer.
8 30 p.m.—Serenade for Strings.
9 00 p.m.—Concert Band. Calvin Winter.
9 30 p.m.—Music of Schumann.
9 45 p.m.—The News.
10 00 p.m.—The Romance of Sacred Songs.

N.B.C.-KPO RED NETWORK
(KHQ-KOW-KFI-KPO-KOMO)

8 00 a.m.—Press News.
8 15 a.m.—Chimney House.
8 30 a.m.—Meridan Music.
9 00 a.m.—Seattle Pacific College (KOMO).
9 30 a.m.—University of Chicago Round Table.
10 00 a.m.—Irene Wicker's Plays.
10 30 a.m.—Salute of Nations.
11 00 a.m.—Dinner at Aunt Fannie's.
11 30 a.m.—Barry McKinley.
12 00 noon—Biographies (KOMO).
12 30 p.m.—Vivian Della Chiesa.
12 45 p.m.—Bob Becker.
1 00 p.m.—Rangers' Serenade.
1 30 p.m.—The World Is Yours.
2 00 p.m.—Uncle Ezra's Sunday Afternoon.
2 30 p.m.—Your Favorite Songs (KOMO).
2 45 p.m.—Organ.
3 00 p.m.—Old Songs of the Church.
3 30 p.m.—Professor Puzzlewit.
4 00 p.m.—Playhouse with Tyrone Power.
4 30 p.m.—Bandwagon.
5 00 p.m.—Bergen and McCarthy. Nelson Eddy, baritone.
6 00 p.m.—Manhattan Merry-Go-Round.
6 30 p.m.—Album of Familiar Music.
7 00 p.m.—The Circle.
8 00 p.m.—Walter Winchell.
8 15 p.m.—Irene Rich.
8 30 p.m.—Jack Benny.
9 00 p.m.—Seth Parker.
9 30 p.m.—One Man's Family.
10 00 p.m.—News Flashes.
10 15 p.m.—Paul Carson, organ.

N.B.C.-KGO BLUE NETWORK
(KGO-KJR-KEX-KECA-KOA)

8 00 a.m.—Dr. Kenyon's Church of the Air (KJR).
8 30 a.m.—Compass Mission (KJR).
9 00 a.m.—Radio City Music Hall.
10 00 a.m.—Great Plays.
11 00 a.m.—Magic Key.
12 00 noon—Armco Band.
12 30 p.m.—Festival of Music.
1 00 p.m.—National Vespers.
1 30 p.m.—Rev. Henry R. Ness (KJR).
2 00 p.m.—Metropolitan Opera Auditorium.
2 30 p.m.—Rev. Bard (KJR).
3 00 p.m.—Catholic Hour.
3 30 p.m.—New Friends in Music.
4 00 p.m.—Lutheran Gospel Hour (KJR).
4 30 p.m.—John Seagle (KJR).
4 45 p.m.—Paul Carson, organist.
5 00 p.m.—Rev. J. M. Amundsen (KOMO).
5 30 p.m.—Swing Soirees.
6 00 p.m.—Hollywood Playhouse.
6 30 p.m.—Readers' Guide.
6 45 p.m.—National Conference of Jews and Christians.
7 00 p.m.—Maurice Spitalny's Orchestra.
7 30 p.m.—Cheerio.
8 00 p.m.—So Goes the World (KJR).
8 15 p.m.—Trinity Choir (KJR).
8 30 p.m.—News (KJR).
8 45 p.m.—Trinity Choir (KJR).
10 00 p.m.—Paul Martin's Orchestra.
10 30 p.m.—Buddy Rogers' Orchestra.

COLUMBIA NETWORK
(KVI-KIRO-KFPY-KOIN-KNX-KSL)

8 00 a.m.—West Coast Church of the Air.
8 30 a.m.—Swedish Tabernacle (KIRO).
9 00 a.m.—Major Bowes' Family.
9 30 a.m.—Salt Lake City Tabernacle Choir.
10 00 a.m.—Church of the Air.
10 30 a.m.—Portraits in Pastel.
10 45 a.m.—Newscast (KIRO).
11 00 a.m.—Congregational Church. Rev. L. W. Fifield (KIRO).
12 15 p.m.—Philharmonic Symphony Society.
2 00 p.m.—Newscast (KIRO).
2 15 p.m.—Music in a Sentimental Mood.
2 30 p.m.—Problem Clinic.
3 00 p.m.—Silver Theatre.
3 30 p.m.—Gateway to Hollywood.
4 00 p.m.—The People's Platform.
4 30 p.m.—Nordic Hour.
5 00 p.m.—This Is New York.
6 00 p.m.—Sunday Evening Hour.
7 00 p.m.—Robert Benchley.
7 30 p.m.—I Want a Divorce.
7 45 p.m.—Newscast (KIRO).
8 00 p.m.—Vincent Lopez and Orchestra.
9 00 p.m.—Ben Bernie.
10 00 p.m.—Dick Aurandt's Orchestra.
10 15 p.m.—A Song at Evening.
10 45 p.m.—Newscast (KIRO).
11 00 p.m.—Starlight Serenade.
11 15 p.m.—Let's Waltz (KIRO).
11 45 p.m.—Prelude to Midnight.
12 00 m.n.—Concert Hour.

MUTUAL-DON LEE NETWORK
KOL, Seattle

8 00 a.m.—Helen Westbrook, organ.
9 15 a.m.—Christian Science Programme.
9 30 a.m.—Raoul Nadeau, baritone.
9 45 a.m.—Canary Chorus.
9 00 a.m.—Dr. Charles Courbin, organ.
9 30 a.m.—Alan Gerard, baritone.
10 00 a.m.—Sumner Prindle, pianist.
10 15 a.m.—The Mighty "I Am."
10 30 a.m.—Salute of the Nations.
11 00 a.m.—Sinfonietta.
12 00 noon—On a Sunday Afternoon.
12 30 p.m.—News.
12 45 p.m.—Tony Cabooch.
1 00 p.m.—Benay Venuta's Variety.
1 30 p.m.—Lutheran Hour.
2 00 p.m.—Russian Cathedral Choir.
2 30 p.m.—Rabbi Magnin.
3 00 p.m.—Help Thy Neighbor.
3 30 p.m.—Show of the Week.
4 00 p.m.—Bach Cantata Series.
4 30 p.m.—George Hamilton's Orchestra.
5 00 p.m.—American Forum of the Air.
6 00 p.m.—Old-Fashioned Revival Hour.
7 00 p.m.—Good-Will Hour.
8 00 p.m.—Croonadera.
9 00 p.m.—Newscast.
9 15 p.m.—Frank and Archie.
9 30 p.m.—Words and Music.
10 00 p.m.—Drama.
10 15 p.m.—Phil Harris' Orchestra.
10 30 p.m.—Jimmy Grier's Orchestra.
11 00 p.m.—Weather Report.
11 01 p.m.—Ran Wilde's Orchestra.
11 30 p.m.—The Squires.
11 45 p.m.—Midnight Moods.

Monday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1,450 Keys.)

8 00 a.m.—Morning Salute.
8 15 a.m.—Breakfast News.
8 30 a.m.—Musical Chronometer.
9 00 a.m.—Outlook and Uplook.
9 15 a.m.—Morning Classics.
9 30 a.m.—Financial Service.
9 45 a.m.—Waltz Time.
10 00 a.m.—Morning Monitor.
10 15 a.m.—March Time.
10 30 a.m.—Gilbert and Sullivan, gems.
11 00 a.m.—Hit Parade.
11 30 a.m.—Musical Melange.
12 00 noon—Concert Time.
12 30 p.m.—Noon Hour News.
12 45 p.m.—Noonday Varieties.
1 00 p.m.—Jack Hylton's Orchestra.
1 25 p.m.—World Book Man.
1 30 p.m.—Afternoon Musicals.
2 00 p.m.—Concert Hour.
3 00 p.m.—Shep Fields' Orchestra.
3 15 p.m.—Modern Vocals.
3 30 p.m.—Ozzie Nelson's Orchestra.
3 45 p.m.—Range Rhythms.
4 00 p.m.—Famous Overtures.
4 30 p.m.—Tea Time Melodies.
5 00 p.m.—Monitor Comment.
5 15 p.m.—Yesterday's Hits.
5 30 p.m.—Request Hour.
6 00 p.m.—Radio Birthday Party.
6 30 p.m.—Music Lovers' Corner.
7 00 p.m.—Dinner Dance.
7 30 p.m.—Candlelight Classics.
8 00 p.m.—Rhythm Rascals.
8 30 p.m.—News Summary.

CJOR, Vancouver, B.C. (600 Keys.)

8 00 a.m.—News.
8 15 a.m.—Music Graphs.
8 30 a.m.—Concert Miniature.
8 45 a.m.—Melody Time.
9 00 a.m.—Shut-In Programme.
9 15 a.m.—Smilin' Ed McConnell.
9 30 a.m.—Gospel Singers.
9 45 a.m.—The Goldbergs.
10 00 a.m.—Stocks.
10 05 a.m.—Popular Interlude.
10 15 a.m.—On the Mall.
10 30 a.m.—Good Morning, Neighbor.
11 00 a.m.—News.
11 15 a.m.—Ballad Music.
11 30 a.m.—Tropical Moods.
12 00 noon—Sid Mullett, pianist.
12 15 p.m.—Rosario Bourdon.
12 30 p.m.—News Flashes.
12 45 p.m.—Voice of Experience.
1 00 p.m.—Famous Voices.
1 15 p.m.—Ab Hine.
1 30 p.m.—Symphony Hour.
2 30 p.m.—Sue's Notebook.
3 00 p.m.—Kitty Keene.
3 15 p.m.—Ma Perkins.
3 30 p.m.—Pepper Young's Family.
3 45 p.m.—Vic and Sade.
4 00 p.m.—Concert Interlude.
4 15 p.m.—Easy Aces.
4 30 p.m.—Musical Workshop.
4 45 p.m.—Lombardo Time.
5 00 p.m.—Smilin' Billy Blinkhorn.
5 15 p.m.—On With the Dance.
5 30 p.m.—Pelican Club.
5 45 p.m.—Howie Wing, drama.
6 00 p.m.—Concert Hall.
6 30 p.m.—The Monitor.
6 45 p.m.—Late Sports Review.
7 00 p.m.—News.
7 15 p.m.—Classic Mosaic.
7 30 p.m.—B.C. Apple Week.
7 45 p.m.—Radio Rascals.
8 00 p.m.—News Flashes.
8 15 p.m.—Vox Pop.
8 30 p.m.—Hockey Broadcast.
10 30 p.m.—News.
10 45 p.m.—Rhythm Wranglers.
11 15 p.m.—Musical Cavalcade.

C.B.C. NETWORK

8 00 a.m.—Canadian Press News.
8 07 a.m.—Musical Minutes.
8 15 a.m.—The Musical Teeter-Totter.
8 30 a.m.—Morning Merry-Go-Round.
9 00 a.m.—Kelly's Washtub.
9 15 a.m.—Four Showmen.
9 30 a.m.—B.C. Schools Broadcast.
9 45 a.m.—The Toronto Trio.
10 00 a.m.—The Happy Gang.
10 30 a.m.—Road of Life.
10 45 a.m.—The Romance of Dan and Sylvia.
11 00 a.m.—Big Sister.
11 15 a.m.—London Calling.
12 00 noon—Smilin' Jack.
12 07 p.m.—Tod Russell.
12 15 p.m.—Mid-day Musicale.
12 30 p.m.—Stocks.
12 35 p.m.—Press News.
12 45 p.m.—In Modern Mood.
1 00 p.m.—Club Matinee.
1 30 p.m.—Pictures in Song.
2 00 p.m.—Melody Lane.
2 15 p.m.—Forum.
2 30 p.m.—Pianograms.
2 45 p.m.—Closing Stocks.
3 00 p.m.—Bob Armstrong's Orchestra.
3 15 p.m.—Patricia Gilmore, songs.
3 30 p.m.—Music From the Maritimes.
4 00 p.m.—Lifiel Romanelli's Orchestra.
4 15 p.m.—Major Bill.
4 30 p.m.—Musical Voyage.
4 45 p.m.—My Job Interview.
5 00 p.m.—C'est Paree.
5 30 p.m.—Geoffrey Waddington Conducts.
6 00 p.m.—Radio Theatre.
7 00 p.m.—Symphony Orchestra.
7 30 p.m.—Canada's Resources.
7 45 p.m.—Random Rhythm.
8 00 p.m.—The News.
8 15 p.m.—The Tudor Quartette.
8 30 p.m.—Mart Kenney's Orchestra.
9 00 p.m.—The Green Door.
9 30 p.m.—The Cariboo Miner.
9 45 p.m.—The News.
10 00 p.m.—Concert Trio.
10 30 p.m.—Organ Recital.

N.B.C.-KPO RED NETWORK
(KHQ-KOW-KFI-KPO-KOMO)

8 00 a.m.—Morning Reveries (KOMO).
8 15 a.m.—Sunshine Club (KOMO).
8 30 a.m.—Capt. Dobbsie.
9 00 a.m.—Heart of Julia Blake (KOMO).
9 15 a.m.—The O'Neills.
9 30 a.m.—Opportunity.
9 45 a.m.—Home Service Programme.
10 00 a.m.—John's Other Wife.
10 15 a.m.—Just Plain Bill.
10 30 a.m.—Dangerous Roads.
10 45 a.m.—Dr. Kate.
11 00 a.m.—Betty and Bob.
11 15 a.m.—A Gemma's Daughter.
11 30 a.m.—Valiant Lady.
11 45 a.m.—Hymns of All Churches.
12 00 noon—Mary Marlin.
12 15 p.m.—Ma Perkins.
12 30 p.m.—Pepper Young's Family.
12 45 p.m.—Guiding Light.
1 00 p.m.—Backstage Wife.
1 15 p.m.—Stella Dallas.
1 30 p.m.—Vic and Sade.
1 45 p.m.—Girl Alone.
2 00 p.m.—Houseboat Hannah.
2 15 p.m.—Carl Kalash.
2 30 p.m.—Cadets Quartette.
2 45 p.m.—Lilyan Cornell, songs.
3 00 p.m.—Studio Party.
3 15 p.m.—I Love a Mystery.
3 30 p.m.—Women's Magazine of the Air.
4 00 p.m.—Biltmore Orchestra.
4 15 p.m.—Paul Carson, organ.
4 30 p.m.—Rep. James E. Van Zandt, talk.
4 45 p.m.—Batisio (KOMO).
4 55 p.m.—Nat. Resources Bldg. (KOMO).
5 00 p.m.—Carson Robinson and his Buckaroos.
5 30 p.m.—Those We Love.
6 00 p.m.—Tropical Moods.
6 15 p.m.—George Hall.
6 30 p.m.—Eddie Duchin's Orchestra.
7 00 p.m.—Contented Programme.
7 30 p.m.—Al Pearce and His Gang.
8 00 p.m.—Amos and Andy.
8 15 p.m.—Edwin C. Hill.
8 30 p.m.—Voice of Firestone.
9 00 p.m.—Hawthorne House.
9 30 p.m.—The Battle of the Sexes.
10 00 p.m.—News Flashes.
10 15 p.m.—Sports Graphic.
10 20 p.m.—Joseph Sudy's Orchestra.
11 00 p.m.—Paul Martin's Orchestra.
11 30 p.m.—Beau Arts Trio.

N.B.C.-KGO BLUE NETWORK
(KGO-KJR-KEX-KECA-KOA)

8 00 a.m.—Viennese Ensemble.
8 30 a.m.—Vagabonds.
8 45 a.m.—Originalities.
9 00 a.m.—Dorothy Dreslin, songs.
9 15 a.m.—News Reporter (KJR).
9 30 a.m.—National Farm and Home Hour.
10 15 a.m.—Agriculture Today.
10 30 a.m.—Cecil Solly (KJR).
10 40 a.m.—Judy and Danny.
11 00 a.m.—Adventures in Reading.
11 30 a.m.—Alma Kitchell.
11 45 a.m.—Manhattan Melodies.
12 00 noon—Department of Agriculture.
12 15 p.m.—Cowboy Joe.
12 30 p.m.—News (KJR).
12 45 p.m.—Between the Book Ends.
1 00 p.m.—Club Matinee.
2 00 p.m.—Rakov's Orchestra.
2 15 p.m.—The Jive Five.
2 30 p.m.—Landt Trio.
2 45 p.m.—Vaughn De Leath, singer.
3 00 p.m.—Bob Armstrong's Orchestra.
3 15 p.m.—Patricia Gilmore.
3 30 p.m.—Piccadilly Orchestra.
3 45 p.m.—To be advised.
4 00 p.m.—Eddie Swarthout's Orchestra.
4 30 p.m.—No Talent Wanted.
4 45 p.m.—Science on the March.
5 00 p.m.—Tune Types.
5 30 p.m.—Musical Vignettes.
6 00 p.m.—Hour of Charm.
6 30 p.m.—News Reporter (KJR).
7 00 p.m.—True or False.
7 30 p.m.—National Radio Forum.
8 00 p.m.—Washington Radio Forum.
8 15 p.m.—Every Man a King.
9 00 p.m.—News Reporter (KJR).
9 15 p.m.—Mysteries of Life.
9 30 p.m.—Ricardo's Rhapsodies.
10 00 p.m.—Shep Field's Orchestra.
10 30 p.m.—Commodore Perry Orchestra.
11 00 p.m.—Paul Carson, organist.

COLUMBIA NETWORK
(KVI-KIRO-KFPY-KOIN-KNX-KSL)

8 00 a.m.—Quarter-Hour Class.
8 15 a.m.—Eton Boys.
8 30 a.m.—Newsreel (KIRO).
8 45 a.m.—Weather Forecast (KIRO).
9 00 a.m.—Connie Worth.
9 15 a.m.—Her Honor, Nancy James.
9 30 a.m.—Romance of Helen Trent.
9 45 a.m.—Our Gal Sunday.
10 00 a.m.—The Goldbergs.
10 15 a.m.—Life Can Be Beautiful.
10 30 a.m.—Tonic Tunes.
10 45 a.m.—Feminine Forum (KIRO).
11 00 a.m.—Big Sister.
11 15 a.m.—Aunt Jenny's Stories.
11 30 a.m.—American School of the Air.
12 00 noon—News at Noon (KIRO).
12 15 p.m.—Singin' Sam.
12 30 p.m.—Scattergood Baines.
12 45 p.m.—Fletcher Wiley.
1 00 p.m.—Pretty Kitty Kelly.
1 15 p.m.—Myrt and Marge.
1 30 p.m.—Hilltop House.
1 45 p.m.—Stepmother.
2 00 p.m.—Music of the Restoration.
2 15 p.m.—Let's Pretend.
2 45 p.m.—Lost and Found.
3 00 p.m.—News.
3 05 p.m.—Third Avenue Parade.
3 30 p.m.—Today.
3 45 p.m.—Maury Rider.
4 00 p.m.—County Seat.
4 15 p.m.—Job Finder.
4 30 p.m.—Seattle P.T.A.
4 45 p.m.—Modern Science Series.
5 00 p.m.—Father Goose Comes to Town.
5 15 p.m.—Howie Wing.
5 30 p.m.—Headlines on Parade.
5 45 p.m.—Howard Costigan.
6 00 p.m.—Radio Theatre.
7 00 p.m.—Guy Lombardo's Orchestra.
7 30 p.m.—Eddie Cantor.
8 00 p.m.—The People's Vote, Sam Hays.
8 15 p.m.—Lum and Abner.
8 30 p.m.—Pick and Pat, with Edward Roecker, baritone.
9 00 p.m.—Cavalcade of America.
9 30 p.m.—Sophie Tucker.
9 45 p.m.—Seattle Forum (KIRO).
10 15 p.m.—Nightcap Yarns.
10 30 p.m.—Night Extra (KIRO).
11 00 p.m.—Gaslight Harmonies.
11 15 p.m.—Echoes of Stage and Screen.
11 45 p.m.—Prelude to Midnight.
12 00 p.m.—Concert Hour.
1 00 a.m.—Night Owls.

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9 30 a.m.—News Flashes.
9 45 a.m.—Patty Jean Health Club.
10 00 a.m.—Happy Gang.
10 45 a.m.—Jack Feeney, tenor.
10 45 a.m.—Voice of Experience.
11 00 a.m.—Nation's School of the Air.
11 30 a.m.—Pauline Alpert, piano.
11 45 a.m.—Muse and Music.
12 00 noon—News Flashes.
12 15 a.m.—Concert Hall.
12 30 p.m.—The Cats and the Fiddle.
12 45 p.m.—Bob Young.
1 00 p.m.—Monitor Views the News.
1 45 p.m.—Book a Week.
2 00 p.m.—Patty Jean Health Club.
2 15 a.m.—Johnson Family.
2 30 p.m.—Three Graces.
2 45 p.m.—Piano Moods.
3 00 p.m.—Feminine Fancies.
3 45 p.m.—Clinic of the Air.
4 00 p.m.—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
4 15 p.m.—News.
5 00 p.m.—Studies in Contrast.
5 45 p.m.—Little Orphan Annie.
6 00 p.m.—Jack Armstrong.
6 15 p.m.—Adventures of General Shafter Parker.
6 30 p.m.—News Flashes.
6 45 p.m.—Frank Bull.
7 00 p.m.—News Dramas.
7 15 p.m.—Croonaders.
7 30 p.m.—The Lone Ranger.
8 00 p.m.—Don Isham Presents.
8 30 p.m.—Ruth Harris, songs.
8 45 p.m.—Political News Hunt.
9 00 p.m.—Newspaper of the Air.
9 15 p.m.—Frank and Archie.
9 30 p.m.—Jan Garber's Orchestra.
9 45 p.m.—Lawmakers' Reporter.
10 00 p.m.—Devil's Scrapbook.
10 30 p.m.—Jose Manzanero's Tango Orch.
11 00 p.m.—Shep Field's Orchestra.
11 15 p.m.—Ran Wild's Orchestra.
11 30 p.m.—Skinnay Ennis Orchestra.
11 45 p.m.—Midnight Matinee.

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LADYSMITH GIVEN REPORT ON CREEK

Council Will Study Surveyor's Findings on Watershed Area and Arrange for Conference

LADYSMITH, Jan. 27. — After some months of careful survey of the Holland Creek watershed area, A. G. King, surveyor of Nanaimo, has presented a detailed report of his findings to the city council. The report deals with the variable flow of water in the creek proper, potential and existing tributaries and storage basins and dams. The council will study the document and will later confer with Mr. King on the details.

The creek is being studied for its hydro-electric possibilities or alternatively as a source of water for industrial need.

NAMED TO BOARD

The council was asked by the Vancouver Island Union Library Board to appoint a member to represent this district. W. A. Cullum was unanimously re-elected to the position he has occupied since the inception of the board in May, 1936.

The sum of $200 is available from the Government for work on public grounds in Ladysmith, and the council has decided to spend the money on Coronation Square, where the huge flagpole was erected in 1935. The Community Centre Association wrote regretting the money could not be spent on Market Square development.

A civic properties committee was appointed by Mayor Walkem to include Aldermen Giovando, Johnson and Jamieson. They will be responsible for all civic properties, including reverted lots and public squares.

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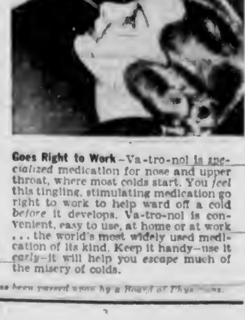

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CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

QUALICUM BEACH, Jan. 27. — The Qualicum Beach Community Club held its annual meeting on Wednesday evening, with an excellent turnout of members and a very favorable report of the year's activities. Officers for the coming year will be: President, G. Lane; vice-president, A. N. Fraser; secretary, J. V. Wilkinson; directors, C. H. Jarvis, G. Mant and E. Sanders. It was announced that the Community Hall is out of debt and paying its way satisfactorily.

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LENEY AND ELEANOR YOUNG WIN ISLAND HONORS

Derby County Is Beaten and Lead Is Sliced Again

First Division Leaders Blanked by Stoke City While Everton Moves Closer by 3-2 Victory Over Huddersfield Town—Arsenal Turns Back Aston Villa

LONDON, Jan. 28 (CP).—Supporters of Derby County are apprehensive over the Midland team's chances of winning the English Football League championship. Defeated, 3-0, by Stoke City today, the County's margin at the top of the First Division was cut to one point over Everton, which has the advantage of a game in hand.

Derby went into the new year with a lead of five points, but its English Cup defeat by Everton sent the team into a decline and Derbyshire enthusiasts are still waiting for the squad to recover. At Sunderland, January 14, the County lost by the only goal of the game. Today, Stoke City was the more dangerous side throughout, with the Midlanders continuously on the defensive.

Everton's 3-2 victory over Huddersfield Town gave the toffee-makers a total of thirty-four points, and the team, unbeaten since the new year, is gunning for the English Cup in addition to the league championship.

DEFEAT VILLANS

Arsenal proved a big attraction in Birmingham and 55,000 spectators saw the Londoners win, 3-1, from Aston Villa. The gunners' triumph was of the lucky variety. Lewis gave them a 1-0 lead at half-time, although the Villans had an edge on the play, and O'Donnell knotted the count soon after the change of ends. Against the run of the play Lewis put Arsenal ahead ten minutes from the end and Kirchen increased the margin in the last minute.

The biggest victory in the First Division went to Preston North End, winner, 5-0, over Birmingham, the cellar occupant. The visitors were outplayed throughout, Dougall getting two of the cup holders' goals, the others going to the credit of R. Beattie, White and Mutch.

South African members of Leeds United had a big share in the Yorkshire team's 1-1 draw with Liverpool. Hodgson, clever centre-forward, scored for Leeds, Balmer equalizing three minutes from the end of the game.

L. Bradley, amateur centre-forward who played in Canada last year with the touring Islington Corinthians, headed Manchester United's goal against Chelsea at Stamford Bridge. It proved the only score of the hard game.

After four successive defeats, Charlton Athletic came through with a 3-0 victory at the expense of the powerful Middlesbrough eleven. Tadman Brown and Hobbs were the Londoners' marksmen.

Manchester City provided one of the day's upsets by taking a 3-2 decision from Blackburn Rovers, leaders of the Second Division. The losers retain a two-point lead over Sheffield United, who drew 2-2 with Luton Town.

Two London teams figured in hard-fought draws, Tottenham Hotspurs dividing four goals with West Bromwich Albion and West Ham United played at Tranmere with the same result.

CLEVER FOOTBALL

The Tottenham-West Bromwich encounter was productive of clever football on a treacherous pitch. Johnson put the Albion ahead after forty minutes, but Morrison replied for the Spurs just before half-time. Again Johnson put the visitors in the lead, but Sargent equalized five minutes from the end.

Buckley gave Tranmere a 2-0 lead at the interval in the game at Birkenhead, but the tail-enders faded later and Foxall and Green put the Hammers on equal terms.

Newport County suffered its fifth defeat of the season at Aldershot, where the soldiers won, 1-0, but the Welshmen retain a six-point margin at the top of the Third Division, Southern Section. Aldershot's attack was smarter throughout, but it was not until near the close that Chalmers scored the winning goal. Logan, Bullock and Baxter gave Barnsley a 3-0 verdict over Chester in the northern loop. The victor now leads the northern circuit by seven points.

DIVISION I

Aston Villa 1, Arsenal 3.
Bolton Wanderers 4, Leicester City 0.
Charlton Athletic 3, Middlesbrough 0.
Chelsea 0, Manchester United 1.
Everton 3, Huddersfield Town 2.
Grimsby Town 2, Blackpool 0.
Leeds United 1, Liverpool 1.
Preston North End 5, Birmingham 0.
Stoke City 3, Derby County 0.
Sunderland 1, Brentford 1.
Wolverhampton Wanderers 3, Portsmouth 0.

DIVISION II

Bradford 1, Fulham 5.
Burnley 3, Norwich City 0.
Chesterfield 2, Bury 1.
Coventry City 5, Notts Forest 1.
Manchester City 3, Blackburn Rovers 2.
Plymouth Argyle 2, Millwall 2.
Sheffield United 2, Luton Town 2.
Southampton 0, Newcastle United 0.
Swansea Town 0, Sheffield Wednesday 1.
Tottenham Hotspurs 2, West Bromwich Albion 2.
Tranmere Rovers 2, West Ham United 2.

DIVISION III

Northern Section

Accrington Stanley 2, Bradford City 3.
Barnsley 3, Chester 0.
Carlisle United 1, Southport 1.
Darlington 1, Doncaster Rovers 2.
Gateshead 2, Rochdale 2.
Halifax Town 3, New Brighton 1.
Hartlepools United 1, Rotherham United 1.
Lincoln City 3, Crewe Alexandra 2.
Oldham Athletic 1, Barrow 0.
Stockport County 2, Hull City 2.
Wrexham 1, York City 3.

Southern Section

Aldershot 1; Newport County 0.
Bristol City 3, Clapton Orient 1.
Cardiff City 0, Bristol Rovers 2.
Crystal Palace 1, Torquay United 3.
Exeter City 2, Brighton and Hove Albion 2.
Ipswich Town - Reading (postponed).
Mansfield Town 2, Port Vale 0.
Notts County 1, Northampton Town 0.
Queens Park Rangers 3, Walsall 0.
Southend United 2, Bournemouth 2.
Watford 4, Swindon Town 1.

Wins Men's Singles Badminton Crown

ERIC LENEY

DUNCAN shuttler, who last night retained his men's singles championship of Vancouver Island. Leney defeated George Lane, Victoria city champion, in a three-set match.

Soccer Activities

The Victoria City (Wednesday League) team and Saanich Thistles will play a practice game this afternoon, at Hampton Road, at 2:30 o'clock. The Thistles will line up as follows: Webster, Bissenden, Crowe, Underwood, Mowat, Speller, McDonald, Hope, Robson, Ono, Marshall, Oakley, Tregellis and Gibson.

The Spencers team of the wid-week loop will hold a workout this morning at Central Park, at 10:30 o'clock. All players are asked to turn out.

Local Sport Results At a Glance

RUGBY

Barnard Cup

Oak Bay Wanderers 8, Canadian Scottish, 3.

FOOTBALL

McGavin Cup

Victoria West 6, Esquimalt 3.
Victoria City 6, Garrison 2.

Intermediate League

Young Liberals 6, Caveys 0.
Longshoremen vs. Cooperage, postponed.

Merchants' League

Mount Tolmie 3, Admirals 1.
Young Conservatives 3, Navy 2.

BASKETBALL

Harlem Globe Trotters 46, Dominoes 39.
Bremerton 50, West Road 27.
Bremerton 43, West Road 26.
All games at Lake Hill were defaulted.

ISLAND BADMINTON

Men's Singles—Eric Leney (Duncan).
Women's Singles — Eleanor Young (Vancouver).
Men's Doubles—Eric Leney and George Lane.
Women's Doubles—Misses P. and M. Sluggett.
Mixed Doubles — Miss G. McCall and Tony Staples.

LEAFS DOWN DETROIT 6-0 ON HOME ICE

Toronto Scores Easy Triumph Over Wings in the National League

TORONTO, Jan. 28 (CP). — With Manager Conny Smythe replacing Coach Dick Irvin as bench director, the Toronto Maple Leafs defeated Detroit Red Wings, 6-0, tonight to repel, for the moment, the Wings' threat to their hold on fourth place in the National Hockey League. Irvin was sick in bed with influenza.

The Leafs got right down to work with a first-period flourish that scored three goals. They played tight hockey, too, to bring Goalie Turk Broda his seventh shutout of the season.

LINE-UPS

Detroit—Thompson; Goodfellow, Bowman; Motter, Besler, Liscombe. Subs: Giesebrecht, Conacher, Stewart, Kilrea, Howe, Barry, Lewis, Young.

Toronto—Broda; Hamilton, McDonald; Apps; Drillon, Davidson. Subs: Horner, Kampman, Fowler, Romnes, Kelly, Jackson, Chamberlain, Marker, Metz, Parsons.

Referee—Mickey Ion. Linesman, Happy Day.

SUMMARY

First Period——1, Toronto, Drillon (Davidson), 9:29; 2, Toronto, Apps (Davidson-Drillon), 10:48; 3, Toronto, Chamberlain (Parsons), 11:51. Penalty: Bowman.

Second Period——4, Toronto, Kelly (Metz), 18:49. Penalties: Drillon, Kampman.

Third Period——5, Toronto, Marker (Jackson), 8:52; 6, Toronto, Jackson (Marker, Romnes), 15:22. Penalties, Goodfellow, Horner.

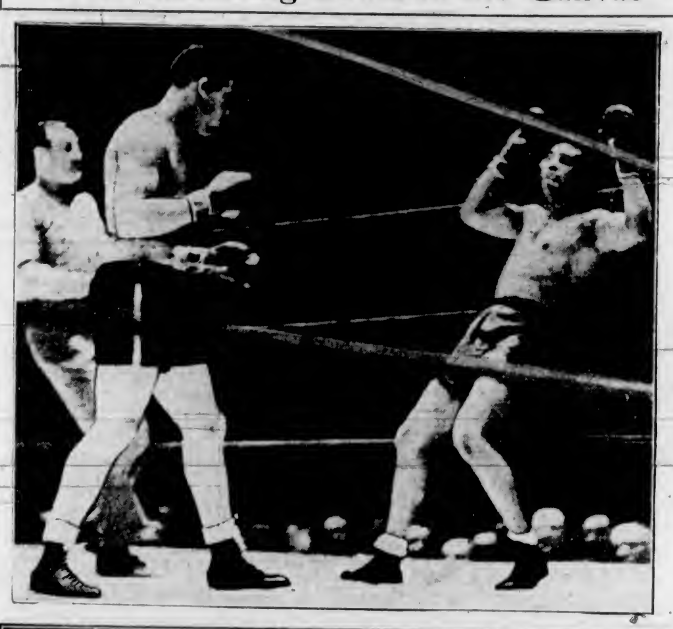
ENGLAND TRIUMPHS

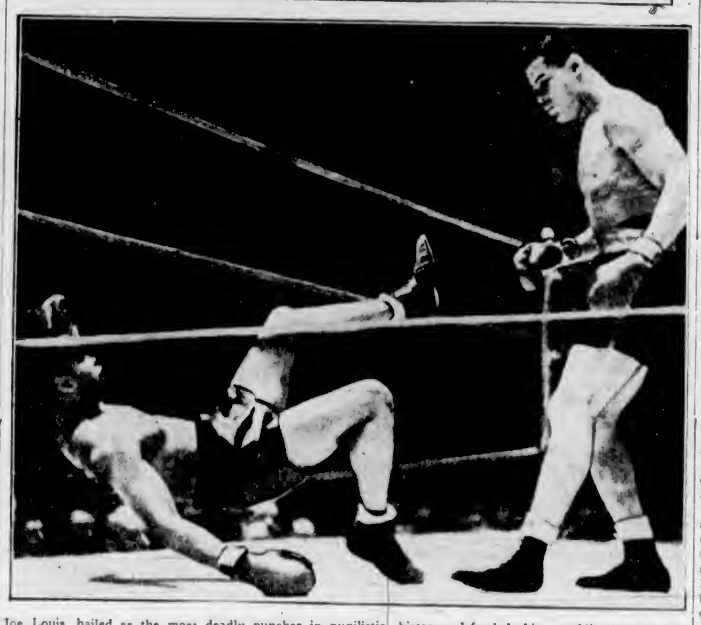
CHELTENHAM, England, Jan. 28 (CP). Victorious for the second year in succession, England defeated Wales, 5-2, in an amateur international soccer match here today. Last season England won, 8-2, at Rhyl.

Fight Card Will Be Held Feb. 11 At A. and N. Club

OFFICIALS of the Victoria Athletic and Hobby Club announced yesterday that plans for another amateur boxing show have been made, and it will be run off on the evening of February 11 in the auditorium of the Army and Navy Veterans under the supervision of Promoter Louis Callan. Fighters will be brought in from Vancouver and Port Angeles to meet local boys. At the first card this month the auditorium was packed to capacity, and therefore another large turnout is expected. The bouts and the persons fighting will be announced some time during this week.

Louis Smashing Lewis to the Canvas





Joe Louis, hailed as the most deadly puncher in pugilistic history, defended his world's heavyweight crown for the fifth time. He stamped out John Henry Lewis in the only all-colored title fight ever staged. It took Louis only 2:29 to hammer John Henry into submission. Above are pictures taken at the ringside. Top shows Henry going down under a barrage of rights and lefts. He appears almost paralyzed. Bottom, Lewis on the ropes, helpless, as Referee Donovan steps in to stop the legal mayhem.

St. Saviours Score 4-2 Win Over North Shore

Goals by McKay and Heath in Overtime Account For Downfall of Dominion Champions—Winners Capture the Mainland Cup

VANCOUVER, Jan. 28 (CP).—St. Saviours won the Mainland Soccer Cup today for the first time, when they scored a 4-2 overtime victory over North Shore United, 1938 Dominion champions.

A 2-2 deadlock was broken in the overtime session by Doug McKay, while Horace Heath added the extra point with a penalty goal.

The new holders of the silverware, emblematic of Lower Mainland soccer supremacy, showed the near-perfect play which has carried them through the present season undefeated in both Mainland and Inter-City League games as well as in the cup play-offs.

They have been held to ties in three Mainland league games since October 1, while Victoria United split a 2-2 decision with them in an inter-city match. The other tie game was with Vancouver Police, a Wednesday League team, in a cup competition three weeks ago. The result of the replay a week later was a 2-0 win for St. Saviours.

FIELD HEAVY

The field was heavy for today's game, the result of recent rains, and the ball was hard to manage.

Heath scored St. Saviours' first goal in the opening period when he took a penalty shot after Harris, their inside right, had been fouled.

W. Findler netted the equalizer shortly after, but Bobby Byford, St. Saviours' centre forward, put his team in the lead again with the best goal of the game. He netted on a first try after the ball had been crossed back and forth in front of the goal several times, the shot striking the under side of the crossbar and landing in the net.

Mike McManus brought Uniteds back into a tie after the opening of the second period, heading the ball in from a penalty shot by Ron Hewett.

Neither team was able to get through again before the end of regulation time, and play was forced into overtime.

McKay's extra-time goal was scored when he picked up a rebound from a shot by Byford that Rabbitt failed to hold.

Heath then picked up a loose ball close to the North Shore net and Rabbitt had no chance to prevent the extra point.

The teams:

North Shore United—J. Rabbitt, Ray Rennie, Bob Harrison, Ron Hewett, Trevor Harvey, C. Goodheart, J. Love, W. Findler, Mike McManus, J. Spencer and Alec Christie. Spare, Swede Larson.

St. Saviours—Dan Kulai, E. Marsden, Ossie Ross, J. Milsted, Joe Eliet, Murray West, J. Waugh, H. Heath, Bobby Byford, D. Brown and Bud Sandland. Spare, D. McKay.

IRISH FOOTBALL

BELFAST, Jan. 28 (CP) — Irish Football League games played today resulted as follows:

Newry Town 4, Derry City 3.
Belfast Celtic 1, Ballymena United 2.
Bangor 3, Cliftonville 0.
Portadown 2, Glenavon 0.
Linfield 1, Ards 0.
Glentoran 2, Distillery 0.
Coleraine 2, Larne 3.

"Buddy" Ward Not Joining Pro Golf Ranks This Year

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28 (AP).—Marvin Ward, amateur golf star from Olympia, Wash., a member of last year's United States Walker Cup team, and a solid contender for the 1939 United States crown, says he has no intention of turning professional.

Rumors, plenty of them, that he was entertaining such a proposition followed his appearances in the Oakland and San Francisco open tournaments. He played in the pro-amateur event at Del Mar this week-end.

What intrigued the pros was the fact he was absenting himself from his job in the office of the Washington State tax commissioner to match shots with them. In their line of reasoning he had nothing more to gain than the distinction of paying his own expenses for a chance at a trophy of not much significance.

SHIELD CRICKET

SYDNEY, Australia, Jan. 28 (CP).—Low scoring featured the opening day's play of a Sheffield Shield cricket match between New South Wales and Victoria. Splendid bowling brought about the home team's dismissal for 120 runs, Victoria having made 176 for two wickets at the close of play.

H. B. Scott, a newcomer to state cricket, took seven New South Wales wickets for 33 runs. Victoria's high scorers were R. Gregory and A. L. Hassett, with 65 not out and 64 not out, respectively.

INVADING SHUTTLERS TRIUMPH IN FINALS OF ANNUAL NET MEET

Duncan Star Retains Singles Badminton Crown by Defeating George Lane—Miss Young Defeats Miss B. Mitchell—Sluggett Sisters Score Great Win in Women's Doubles

Scoring what was probably one of the most popular victories in the tournament, the Sluggett sisters, Phyllis and Muriel, young Brentwood shuttle stars, last night won the Vancouver Island women's doubles championship as play in the twenty-fifth annual meet drew to a close at the Bay Street Armoury.

Little women with big hearts and the kind of fight that makes champions, the Sluggett sisters came from behind to defeat and dethrone Misses Eleanor Young, Vancouver, and Daphne Fernie, Kamloops, defending titleholders, in a three-set duel that had the spectators on edge throughout.

The Brentwood stars dropped the initial set, 10-15, and then, through sheer determination and fight, took the next two sets and the match with scores of 18-17, 15-11.

In the final last season, Misses Young and Fernie won out after an extra-set match.

LENEY TRIUMPHS

Lanky Eric Leney, Duncan netter and ruler of Vancouver Island courts for many seasons, retained his men's singles crown, but only after an uphill fight with George Lane, Victoria city titleholder. Leney was forced to uncork every trick known to the shuttle game to turn back Lane, top-ranking local shuttler. After the players had each won a set, Lane was within one point of winning the title in the third set, the score being 14-12 in his favor. It was at that stage that Leney, veteran of many hectic struggles, used his greater tournament experience to advantage. He battled back and knotted the score at 14-14 and then went on to win the game and the match with a 17-14 triumph.

Miss Eleanor Young, Vancouver city titleholder, enjoying her best season in the shuttle game, annexed the women's singles crown after an extra-set match with Miss B. Mitchell, Edmonton, Alberta, champion. The Terminal City star staged a great uphill fight, one of the best of the tournament, and after dropping the first set 11-0, came back with 13-10 and 11-4 victories in the two final sets. In the second fixture Miss Mitchell established a 10-3 lead, but fell away badly before the steady court play of the Vancouver miss.

In a hard-driving match that had the fans really interested from the start, Eric Leney and George Lane defeated Don Davis and Tony Staples in the men's open doubles final. Smashes were frequent and many valuable points were piled up by both sides with this type of attack. The match went to three sets and the scores were 12-14, 15-10, 18-15.

MIXED WINNERS

Victoria city champions, Miss Gladys McCall and Tony Staples lifted the mixed doubles championship with an odd-set triumph over Miss Daphne Fernie, Kamloops, and George Lane, Victoria. The local combination took the first and last sets and dropped the middle game to the Fernie-Lane combination. The winners looked their best in the final set and scored beautifully at the net.

K. Meredith, Vancouver, won the boys' singles championship, defeating M. Creighton, Duncan, 15-6, 15-4. One of the most promising juniors in British Columbia, Meredith was almost master of the situation.

Miss Jill Cavenagh retained the girls' singles honors with a straight-set triumph over Miss N. Fleck, a schoolmate. The champion displayed good form and should go a long way in the shuttle pastime.

The finals were the best witnessed at the spacious Bay Street Armoury for many years, all going to three sets.

Commander J. C. I. Edwards, president of the Victoria Garrison Badminton Club, sponsors of the annual tournament, thanked members of the committee and all those who contributed to the success of the tournament before introducing Mrs. J. C. Stewart, wife of Brigadier J. C. Stewart, G.O.C., M.D. XI, who presented the many handsome prizes.

Results follow:

WOMEN'S SINGLES

Semi-Finals

Miss B. Mitchell, Edmonton, defeated Miss D. Fernie, Kamloops, 11-5, 11-5.

Miss E. Young, Vancouver, defeated Miss J. Thomson, Victoria, 11-5, 11-0.

Final

Miss E. Young defeated Miss B. Mitchell, 0-11, 13-10, 11-4.

MEN'S SINGLES

Semi-Finals

E. Leney, Duncan, defeated K. Meredith, Vancouver, 15-10, 15-3.

G. Lane, Victoria, defeated D. Davis, Victoria, 15-1, 15-8.

Final

E. Leney defeated G. Lane, 12-15, 15-8, 17-14.

WOMEN'S OPEN DOUBLES

Semi-Finals

Misses E. Young, Vancouver, and D. Fernie, Kamloops, defeated Miss B. Mitchell, Edmonton, and Mrs. Lomas, Duncan, 15-3, 15-10.

Misses P. and M. Sluggett, Victoria, defeated Misses G. McCall and D. Swayne, Victoria, 15-8, 15-5.

Final

Misses P. and M. Sluggett defeated Misses E. Young and D. Fernie, 10-15, 18-17, 15-11.

MEN'S OPEN DOUBLES

Semi-Finals

E. Leney, Duncan, and G. Lane, Victoria, defeated R. Bagley and P. Colclough, Victoria, 8-15, 18-14, 15-11.

D. Davis and T. Staples, Victoria, defeated D. Hincks and J. Watt, Victoria, 15-12, 15-9.

Final

E. Leney and G. Lane defeated D. Davis and T. Staples, 12-14, 15-10, 18-15.

MIXED OPEN DOUBLES

Semi-Finals

Miss G. McCall and T. Staples, Victoria, defeated Miss B. Beaumont and D. Hincks, Victoria, 15-5, 15-3.

Miss D. Fernie, Kamloops, and G. Lane, Victoria, defeated Miss P. Sluggett and J. Watt, Victoria, 18-17, 15-9.

Final

Miss G. McCall and T. Staples defeated Miss D. Fernie and G. Lane, 18-16, 10-15, 15-9.

BOYS' SINGLES

Semi-Finals

K. Meredith, Vancouver, defeated A. W. Gillespie, Victoria, 15-2, 15-1.

M. Creighton, Duncan, defeated J. Brandon, Victoria, 15-5, 15-5.

Final

K. Meredith defeated M. Creighton, 15-6, 15-4.

MIXED HANDICAP DOUBLES

Semi-Finals

Miss C. Boyer and S. Skillings, Victoria, defeated Miss N. Rice-Jones and D. Fish, Victoria, 15-14, 14-15, 15-14.

Miss B. Cosh and S. Bichard, Victoria, defeated Miss B. Murdoch and G. Briscoe, Victoria, 15-13, 14-15, 15-10.

Final

Miss C. Boyer and S. Skillings defeated Miss B. Cosh and S. Bichard, 15-10, 15-8.

WOMEN'S HANDICAP DOUBLES

Semi-Finals

Misses B. Morley and B. Barber, Victoria, defeated Misses B. Garrard and J. Carrier, Victoria, 3-15, 15-12, 15-7.

Misses L. Bell and B. Cosh, Victoria, defeated Miss M. Rice-Jones and B. Murdoch, 9-15, 15-14, 15-12.

Final

Misses D. Morley and B. Barber defeated Misses L. Bell and B. Cosh, 15-6, 6-15, 15-9.

MEN'S HANDICAP DOUBLES

Semi-Finals

M. Creighton, Duncan, and T. Staples, Victoria, defeated R. Knott and L. Green, Victoria, 15-13, 15-7.

F. Witter and R. Mitchell, Victoria, defeated B. Davies and D. Fish, 15-1, 15-6.

Final

F. Witter and R. Mitchell defeated M. Creighton and T. Staples, 15-6, 15-10.

Esquimalt Basketball

Basketball games carded tomorrow evening in the Athletic Hall in Esquimalt follow:

7:30—Esquimalt Midgets (Red) vs. Esquimalt Midgets (Blue).

8:15—Esquimalt juniors vs. Gainers (women).

9:00—Esquimalt seniors vs. Palm Dairies.

An incorrigible offender requested the magistrate to postpone his case as the solicitor due to defend him had been taken suddenly ill. "But," the magistrate objected, "what difference can that make? You were actually caught in the act. What on earth can your solicitor say in your defence?" "Beats me, sir," the accused replied. "That's just what I'm interested to know!"

SPECIFY CAPTURES $10,000 RACE IN THE SOUTH

Great Finish Seen In Rich Handicap Event at S. Anita

Baroni's Horse Beats Out Three Other Contenders In Photo Finish in Fast Time—Main Man Is Second, Airflame Third—Supremador Wins and Pays Backers $100.80

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 28 (AP).—In a close finish with four horses almost nose-and-nose, A. A. Baroni's Specify, an eligible for the Santa Anita Handicap, captured the $10,000 San Felipe Handicap of six furlongs at Santa Anita Park today in 1:10 1-5.

Movie Executive Louis B. Mayer's Main Man was second, closing so fast he probably would have won the race in another jump. Third was Alfred Vanderbilt's Airflame. Leading Article, owned by B. P. Woodson and co-holder of the track record with Rye Beach, came in fourth, pinched between other contenders in the last fifty yards where he looked like a winner.

A photograph of the finish was necessary to determine positions of the winners.

To $2 mutuel ticket holders, Specify's triumph was worth $11 to win, $5.80 to show and $4.20 to place. Main Man paid $8.20 and $5.80 and Airflame $3.60.

The famous Seabiscuit, having drawn a position in the middle of the field, was scratched last night. He worked out between races, however, and did seven furlongs in 1:25 4-5.

Seven other horses also were scratched from the San Felipe feature event.

Long shot players got a lift in the fourth race when a horse that had not run in nearly a year, W. E. Boeing's Supremador, came out in front to pay $100.80, $40.40 and $16.20. Supremador finished the six furlongs three lengths ahead of Boss Martin in the fast time of 1:10 2-5.

In the San Felipe, Speed to Spare set the early pace, but coming off the far turn, Airflame and Specify swallowed him up. Jockey Johnny Adams rode Specify.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs
Pug Knows (Richards) ... $4.40 $2.80 $2.40
Fast Flight (Wall) ... 2.20 2.80
Race Riot (Renick) ... 4.00
Time, 1:11 3-5. Also ran: Torpedo Lass, Teddys Girl, King Cotton, Play Pence, Playful Wink, Joyce B., Lucubelle, Herocanet, Hollywood Czar.

SECOND RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth:
The Lake (Siler) ... $10.20 $4.80 $3.60
Chance Line (Vantassel) ... 5.00 4.00
Over Yonder (Adams) ... 5.80
Time, 1:45 2-5. Also ran: Jonnie Nuchols, Mottled, Skeetshooter, Distributa, Caritre, Breezing Along, The Darb, Khayyam, Richlein.

THIRD RACE—One mile
Cayanna (James) ... $19.60 $7.80 $5.40
Bernsley (Stevenson) ... 3.80 3.40
Midwick (Wall) ... 6.60
Time, 1:38 3-5. Also ran: Deline Bank, Sky Glare, Bon Hommage, Sir Ridgway, Cannibal.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Supremador (James) ... $100.80 $40.40 $16.20
Boss Martin (Woolf) ... 19.60 11.40
Alviso (Neves) ... 6.40
Time, 1:10 2-5. Also ran: Drift Along, Bold Stroke, Time Flight, Townsman, Commendable, Gallant Stroke, Our Carolyne, Jubal Junior, High Strike.

FIFTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Today (Adams) ... $11.80 $7.20 $5.60
Journey On (Longden) ... 8.40 6.20
Advocator (Varner) ... 6.60
Time, 1:43 2-5. Also ran: Clingendeel, Gray Jack, Melodist, Flying Scot, Quick Devil.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Specify (Adams) ... $11.00 $5.80 $4.20
Main Man (Woolf) ... 8.20 5.80
Air Flame (Workman) ... 3.60
Time, 1:10 1-5. Also ran: Dogaway, First Kiss, Lavangro, Honey Cloud, Speed to Spare, Woodbarry, Leading Article, Preeminent, Sun Egret.

SEVENTH RACE — Mile and one-sixteenth:
Wild Turkey (Renick) ... $23.00 $11.80 $6.60
Chaiphone (McCombs) ... 29.00 11.00
White Sand (Shelhamer) ... 4.20
Time, 1:44 4-5. Also ran: Bain Marie, Uneasy, Lame Duck, Mr. Grundy, Triplane, Fire Marshall.

EIGHTH RACE—Two miles:
Newark (Renick) ... $12.80 $7.60 $5.60
Melody Lane (Leishman) ... 13.20 9.20
Xenogra (Neves) ... 8.60
Time, 3:27 4-5. Also ran: Standard Time, Who's There, Malicious, Hadtobe, Golden Nut, Bosford, Hand Made, Never Never.

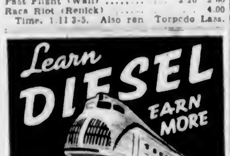
RECREATION CENTRES

Y.W.C.A. women's centre held on Thursday afternoons reported a turnout of ninety-three members, largest yet for this centre.

Next social event scheduled is the Lake Hill centre's dance to be held at the Community Hall next Friday. The Friday following, a big St. Valentine's dance will be held at Sooke Community Hall under the auspices of the Sooke Recreation centre. Tickets for either of these events may be had from any of the instructors.

Monday mornings a group of girls are working on more advanced gymnastic work at the Memorial Hall in preparation for coming provincial gymnastic competitions.

Seventeen members enjoyed a hike up to the Lake of the Seven Hills in the Sooke District. Alger Wickstrom, Up-Island instructor was down for the week-end and was present on the hike. Mount Newton is the next climb, meeting as usual outside Terry's Drug Store at 10 a.m. today.



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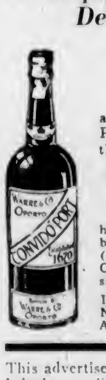
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To Play Here This Week

RAY PEARSON

SEATTLE table tennis ace and British Columbia champion, who will be seen in action here this week at the Western Canada championships to be staged at the Crystal Garden. The meet will open on Wednesday and conclude Saturday evening with the finals. Twenty ranking out-of-town players will be here for the tournament, the largest of its kind ever held in Victoria. More than thirty leading local "ping-pongers" will vie for honors in competition with the visiting stars. Six Western Canada titles will be at stake.

Globe Trotters Win Over Local Cagemen After Great Tussle

Harlem Professionals Score 46-39 Victory Before Packed House at High Gym—Chuck Chapman Heads Local Scorers With Seventeen

Making their final appearance before a packed gym at the High School last night the celebrated Harlem Globe Trotters trotted off with a 46-39 win from the Dominoes in what turned out to be a really thrilling fixture. Anxious to protect their seven-point lead, the dusky leather slingers eased up on their comedy antics, but the crowd left the building completely satisfied, nevertheless.

Dominoes put up a much better fight than on Friday evening when they dropped a 48-33 decision and checked the Trotters more closely. They were still weak in retrieving rebounds and didn't seem to benefit much from the previous evening's lesson in blocking.

Lanky Chuck Chapman kept his squad in the game by some phenomenal long shooting. Chuck appeared to have taken a leaf from the book of little Harry Rusan, who excels at canning them from the outer regions, by chalking up seventeen points, eight field goals and one foul convert. He even surpassed Rusan, who earned sixteen points. However, the Harlemite's captain failed to receive any shots from the foul strip. "Busher" Jackson turned in a nice game for the local lads and potted four baskets for eight points.

BREMERTON WINS

Two visiting squads from Bremerton hung up double victories over West Road quintettes. The opening game was taken by the Americans, 50-27, while the other West Road outfit tasted a 43-26 defeat.

Opening in their usual style the Globe Trotters rained the leather all over the Dominoes' basket, and at the end of the first ten minutes were comfortably in front, 11-3. Chuck Chapman converted a foul and Davis scored from under the hoop to bring the Dominoes within five points, but Priestley and Rusan made a trio of baskets to boost the score to 17-6. Dominoes stayed in the thick of it, and as the half ended were ten points down, 22-12.

The Trotters seemed satisfied with this lead and although it varied at times, they managed to keep about five baskets up on the local cagers. The squads matched basket for basket as they went into the third quarter, and with eight minutes gone the score had advanced to 32-22. After another Harlem score, Ford broke away and dashed the length of the floor to score right under the net, and Anderson converted a foul and another basket, making it 39-22.

"Chuck" Chapman came through with three breath-taking long shots in a row and the Dominoes were just eleven points back of the leaders. Rusan came right back for the New Yorkers and dropped one clean through. Both teams battled on even terms with the Victoria boys gradually slicing down Harlem's lead.

There was only a minute and one-half to go, the Trotters were still playing basketball, and Chapman heaved in another long one, making the score board read 44-39. The boys failed to keep a check on Rusan, however, and he scooted down the floor to end the scoring at 46-39.

SOME COMEDY

Not wishing to completely rob the fans of an act, the colored lads unlimbered their dice in the last half-minute and put on a show for the customers. They tried one or two baseball and football plays during the evening, but seemed more content to concentrate on their basketball.

Tim McCulloch, Seattle, and Bill Levy refereed and teams follow:

Harlem Globe Trotters—Rusan, 16; Anderson, 7; Strong, 6; Priestley, 11, and Ford, 6. Total, 49.

Dominoes—A. Chapman, 5; C. Chapman, 17; Jackson, 8; Taylor; Davies, 3; Rowe, 6; Patterson and Mylrea. Total, 39.

Bremerton—Kelly, 19; Bouchard, 8; Welton, 15; Mason; Snider, 8, and Jaixen. Total, 50.

West Road—W. Sluggett, 3; C. Sluggett, 10; Reid, G. Sluggett, 4; C. Sluggett, 10, and C. Sluggett. Total, 27.

Bremerton—Dick, 5; Strong, 1; Welton, 15; Snider, 4; Mason, Kelly, 18, and Calvert. Total, 43.

West Road—R. Michell, 11; B. Michell, 4; McAdie, A. Gunn, B. Gunn, W. Butler, Cunningham, 6, and G. Butler, 5. Total 26.

DISCUSSION GROUP

Education will again be the subject of the C.C.F. Discussion Group in Room 9, Arcade Building, at 8 o'clock tonight.

Crowned Vancouver Island Champion

ELEANOR YOUNG

COMELY Vancouver badminton player, who last night was crowned Vancouver Island women's singles champion at the Bay Street Armoury. Holder of the Terminal City honors, Miss Young defeated Miss B. Mitchell, Edmonton, and Alberta titleholder, in a three-set match. The Mainlander succeeds Miss Daphne Fernie, Kamloops, as queen of Island courts.

McKechnie Cup Rugby, Sat., Feb. 4
VICTORIA VS. VARSITY, MACDONALD PARK, AT 2:30 P.M.
ADMISSION: GENTLEMEN 50c — LADIES 25c
CHILDREN 25c VARSITY BAND IN ATTENDANCE

STILL LEADS IN SCORING

Fenton and Venters Fail to Score But Hold First Positions

LONDON, Jan. 28 (CP).—M. Fenton, Middlesbrough, and Alex Venters, Glasgow Rangers, continue to lead goal-scorers in Old Country major league soccer, although both failed to tally in today's games. In the Third Division's southern section, T. M. Cheetham, of Queens Park Rangers, displaced B. Morton, Swindon Town, with a total of twenty-two goals.

Leading scorers:

ENGLISH LEAGUE

Division 1—M. Fenton, Middlesbrough, 21.

Division 2—A. Clarke, Blackburn Rovers, 21.

Division 3 (Southern)—T. M. Cheetham, Queens Park Rangers, 22.

Division 3 (Northern).—B. Asquith, Barnsley, and R. Patrick, Southport, 21.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Division 1—A. Venters, Rangers, 28.

Division 2—Morrison, East Stirling, 28.

Young Girl Nets Forty-Five Field Goals in Victory

GREEN CREEK, N.C., Jan. 28 (AP).—The Green Creek girls' basketball team beat the Sunnyview team, 102 to 10, the other night, and Aileen Cudd, of the winners, scored ninety-nine of the points. The tall, fifteen-year-old ninth grade student caged forty-five field goals and nine foul shots.

FAIR GROUNDS RACING

FAIR GROUNDS, Jan. 28.—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Mile and seventy yards:
Doris B. (Eccard) ... $9.20 $4.60 $3.00
Blazing Sun (Haas) ... 4.20 3.20
Over Play (Montgomery) ... 3.80
Time, 1:45 1-5. Also ran: Smith David, Persuader, Pish Tush, Texas Boy, Migal Fay.

SECOND RACE—Five and one-half furlongs.
Buttons B. (Bowen) ... $11.20 $5.20 $3.40
Tony Steel (Smith) ... 6.00 4.00
Golden Chimes (Conley) ... 2.60
Time, 1:07 1-5. Also ran: Double Tough, Sea Shell, Shelby King, Norman Sloat.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Goldman (Krovitz) ... $9.20 $4.60 $3.40
Katherine G. (Dupuy) ... 6.20 4.40
Garden Message (J. Richard) ... 9.60
Time, 1:13 4-5. Also ran: Firm Hand, Ducmiss, Dixie Princess, Boston Sound, Dan Skilling, Jim Cornell, Marcabala, Maebob, Tramway.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Polly Hastings (Bowen) ... $5.20 $3.00 $2.60
Tunbridge (Oros) ... 4.00 3.00
Trickwick (Hightshoe) ... 4.00
Time, 1:11 3-5. Also ran: Garden Pool, Miss Dolphin, My Lawyer, Buster Boy.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Hope Diamond (Conley) ... $9.40 $4.80 $3.40
Dick Naishapur (Rodriguez) ... 4.20 3.20
Bright (Bowen) ... 3.40
Time, 1:13 2-5. Also ran: Grecian Time, My Shadow, Jubilee C., Lostagal, Cyrus P., Roldef.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Waxwing (Bowen) ... $7.40 $4.00 $3.20
Taken (Krovitz) ... 4.60 3.20
Zevson (Burns) ... 2.80
Time, 1:46 2-5. Also ran: Spillway, All Lady, Whipowill, Catomar.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-eighth
Kapena (Haas) ... $8.20 $3.40 $2.80
Crack Boy (Oros) ... 3.20 2.60
Colonel Martus (Vedder) ... 3.40
Time, 1:58 4-5. Also ran: Taximan, Grey Doll, Autumn Leaves, King Bonny, Hereward, Sweet Showno, Broadway Girl, Dyak, Fob.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Stingo ... 109
Don Pancho ... 103
Freeze ... 114
Leta Win ... 109
Top Way ... 109
Wayaloft ... 114
General Boy ... 109
Cottingham ... 104
Bob Bruce ... 109
Firing ... 104
Tapstick ... 109
Two Brooms ... 109
Brilliant Miss ... 104
Seldina ... 104
Sister Jean ... 104
Gold Color ... 114
Kerry Lite ... 109
Miss Webb ... 104

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Molly Green ... 108
Reigh Mousa ... 108
La Rogers ... 113
Princess Verte ... 113
Minnie Pot ... 113
Tura Stone ... 113
Mollie V. ... 113
Oil Boom ... 113
Miss Selma ... 108
Fleet Pat ... 108
Eselo ... 108
Broadage ... 108
Margaret J. ... 113
Quenna ... 108
Rush Home ... 113
Cariade ... 113
Conbee ... 113
Miss Michigan ... 108

THIRD RACE—Five and one-half furlongs.
Clean Cut ... 107
Poiante Beth ... 112
John Marcum ... 117
Helmor ... 112
Margaret Nadi ... 107
Prince Mac ... 117
Erech ... 112
Swift Air ... 107
Bucks Image ... 117
Jessie O. ... 112
Gurt Palmer ... 107
Queen Irene ... 107
Iorn Lucky ... 117
Courtaway ... 112
Beneficiary ... 107
High Color ... 112
Joe D. ... 112
Audrey L. ... 107

FOURTH RACE—Two furlongs:
Jean Bane ... 111
Sara Greenock ... 111
Trim Stepper ... 111
Bright View ... 111
Victory March ... 114
Sis Parrera ... 111
Parade Leader ... 114
Palmers T. ... 111
Ill Wave ... 111
Hickory ... 114
Cardell ... 114
Wika ... 111
Don Rafel ... 114
Blond Queen ... 111
John Oldham ... 114
Maud Bana ... 111
Conman ... 114
Rose Garden ... 111

FIFTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Golden Nugget ... 107
Imperial Jean ... 104
Strolling Home ... 109
Jadva ... 105
Miss Apprehend ... 103
False Card ... 105
Crout Au Pot ... 105
Ramshead ... 113
Trangat ... 108
Green Country ... 106

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs
Pharasan ... 106
Sanctity ... 114
Chanting ... 103
Chance Sweet ... 105
Peeping Away ... 106
Lucky Ducky ... 94
Good Omen ... 109
Decource ... 105

SEVENTH RACE — Mile and seventy yards
Prince Cloud ... 110
Big Gay ... 110
Our Sammy ... 107
Alerey ... 102
Apple Time ... 107
Silver Palm ... 110
Stormy Sea ... 115
Count Me ... 110
Dark Mist ... 102
Birds Eye ... 110
Miss Demara ... 105
Barbara J. ... 105
Idolatry ... 110
Manhunt ... 110
Pirate Lass ... 105
Spey Crest ... 112
Kansas Citian ... 113
Pester P. ... 107
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BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . By Ripley

EXPLANATION FOR YESTERDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

Beethoven and Jazz—In Beethoven's Collection of Quartettes, for two violins, viola and violoncello, known as the Prince Lobkowitz Collection, the Scherzo of the B flat Quartette No. 6, is distinguished by subtle catching syncopation, bizarre wit and perversely independent part writing, having all the marks of modern jazz. All one needs is the substitution of a saxophone for one of the violins, and it becomes clear why Beethoven has been called the real inventor of jazz.

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Rangers Register Close 2-1 Victory Over Falkirk Team

Fast Traveling First Division Club Continues to Hold Wide Margin in Race for Honors—Hearts Trounce St. Johnstone, 8-2—Celtic Held to Deadlock

GLASGOW, Jan. 28 (CP). — Positions in the Scottish Football League are virtually unchanged after a ten-game card today. Hearts kept in step with the terrific pace set by the leading Rangers and results generally were not of a startling nature.

The Light Blues have a clear nine-point lead over Hearts. Aberdeen, one point in arrears of Hearts, also is playing heads-up football and indications point to a great fight for the No. 2 spot in the final lap.

At home to Falkirk, Rangers had to fight hard for their twentieth victory of the season to ring up a 2-1 count. Thornton's first-half goal held until Stewart evened the count early in the final forty-five minutes. Smith scored the tie-breaker.

Feature of this game was inability of Alec Venters, top scorer in big-time football, to add his name to scoring statistics. It was the first time since early December the brilliant centre-forward failed to click around the nets. His average to date is one goal a game.

The Hearts-St. Johnstone encounter turned out to be a one-sided affair with the second-placers in command throughout. Final score was 8-2, highest of the day in major Old Country football.

NETS FOUR GOALS

Art Black, last year's leading sharpshooter in Scottish soccer, boosted his goal-scoring average with four goals. Garrett performed the hat-trick and Walker, from a penalty, concluded scoring for the Edinburgh club. Lorimer and Tennant tallied for the Saints.

A three-goal first-half splurge was enough to give Aberdeen maximum points over St. Mirren at Aberdeen. The Dons kept on the offensive from the whistle and Warnock, Pattello and Nicholson netted. The Saints, one of the gamest teams in the league, kept pounding and scored twice after the crossover through Knox and McClintock.

Traditional rivals of Glasgow Rangers, Celtic has lost considerable ground since their disastrous year-end showing. Up to that period the Celts occupied leading position and were favorites to win the championship. Playing at Dumfries on Saturday they were held to a 1-1 draw by Queen of South.

After a scoreless first half, Dawson put Queen of South in the lead and shortly after Divers brought the scores level.

Queen's Park showed good form in winning, 3-2, at home over Hibernians. Browning opened the scoring early in the game and the same player made it 2-0 for the amateurs before Kean tallied from a penalty shot for the visitors. McDonald added another for the amateurs before half-time. Prior netted Hibernians' other goal.

CLYDE WINS EASILY

Clyde had little difficulty with Motherwell, winning 4-0. Martin, Gillies, Noble and Robertson scored in that order. Hamilton Academicals posted a similar victory over Motherwell. Third Lanark defeated Albion Rovers 4-2 and Arbroath overcame Raith Rovers 3-1. The Kilmarnock-Ayr United tussle ended in a 2-2 deadlock.

Alloa moved to within one point of the second-place East Fife eleven in the second group with a well-earned 3-0 verdict over Dundee United. East Fife lost 2-0 at Dumbarton and the leading Cowdenbeath team bowed 5-0 at Dundee.

DIVISION I

Aberdeen 3, St. Mirren 2.
Albion Rovers 2, Third Lanark 4.
Clyde 4, Motherwell 0.
Hamilton Academicals 4, Partick Thistle 0.
Hearts 8, St. Johnstone 2.
Kilmarnock 2, Ayr United 2.
Queen of South 1, Celtic 1.
Queen's Park 3, Hibernians 2.
Raith Rovers 1, Arbroath 3.
Rangers 2, Falkirk 1.

DIVISION II

Alloa 3, Dundee United 0.
Dumbarton 2, East Fife 0.
Dundee 5, Cowdenbeath 0.
Dunfermline 4, St. Bernards 1.
East Stirling 1, Montrose 2.
Edinburgh City 4, Morton 1.
Forfar Athletic 4, Brechin City 4.
King's Park 2, Airdrieonians 5.
Leith Athletic 1, Stenhousemuir 4.

PARLOR SHOW ON SATURDAY

Afternoon and Evening Events to Be Held at the Shrine Hall

The Victoria City Kennel Club has arranged to hold the first parlor show of the season at the Shrine Hall, View Street, on February 4. The judge for the evening show is P. J. Brennan, of New Westminster, who has just returned from a judging appointment in Seattle, where they had a record entry. The judges for the afternoon are Mrs. E. W. Hetherington, for the fancy dress, and R. A. Cross will do the remainder.

During the evening show a championship parade will be staged, for which no entry fee will be charged, but all exhibitors will receive a rosette. The club hopes to have entered as many breeds as possible. Miss R. Billett has donated a trophy for the green class, which is for owner-handlers never having won a prize. The Quandalla Challenge Trophy, donated by J. F. O. Wood, will be competed for at all parlor shows of the Victoria City Kennel Club held this year.

The regular evening classes are as follows: Junior puppy dog, three to six months; senior puppy dog, six to twelve months; novice dog; open dog; there are similar classes for bitches; best dog in show; best puppy in show; best junior puppy in show, three to six months; best novice, best in each group and best puppy in each group; best brood bitch and two of her progeny; best stud dog and two of his get (these do not have to belong to the same owner); best brace.

The classes for the children in the afternoon are as follows: Best dog in show; best puppy in show; largest dog; smallest dog (not a puppy); trick dog; best advertisement; most attractive; most original; original origin of dog's country (to be accompanied by dog), best girl handler, four to eight years; best girl handler, eight to fourteen years; best boy handler, four to eight years; best boy handler, eight to fourteen years. Entries taken for afternoon show at 2.30 and judging at 3 o'clock. Evening show entries taken at 7.30; judging 8 o'clock.

HOCKEY STANDINGS

Standings of teams in the National Hockey League, including last night's game, follow:

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Boston	20	7	1	79	36	41
Rangers	16	8	3	74	49	35
Americans	14	9	7	74	75	35
Toronto	12	14	4	70	61	28
Detroit	10	16	4	58	82	24
Chicago	9	15	5	56	71	23
Canadiens	6	18	6	61	99	18

COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Portland	21	5	5	107	64	47
Seattle	16	12	6	111	102	38
Vancouver	8	17	7	82	110	23
Spokane	8	19	6	96	100	22

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WESTS AND CITY WIN CUP-TIE SOCCER GAMES

Greenshirts Trim Esquimalt Eleven By Trio of Goals

First Half League Winners Chalk Up 6-3 Decision In First Round of McGavin Cup Series—Harold Sage Gets Four Goals—City Whips Garrison, 6-2

Racing through the opposition for five tallies in the opening forty-five minutes without a reply, Victoria West finally broke the "jinx" which has lurked around their dressing-room in cup-tie matches when they trimmed Esquimalt, yesterday afternoon, at the Athletic Park, 6-3, in the opening round of the McGavin Cup series. Out at Heywood Avenue the rejuvenated Victoria City aggregation flashed great form in chalking up a 6-2 verdict over the Garrison lads from Work Point Barracks.

For many seasons, even in the old days, the Wests have been known as poor cup-tie players but yesterday Doc Poyntz' boys were mad about something and took it out at the expense of the Dockers. In the first half the Greenshirts had matters their own way, which the half-time score clearly indicates. In the second period they were hard pressed by a vastly different team but, at that, had an edge on territorial play.

SAGE NETS FOUR

Esquimalt were hopeless in the initial canto. Their positional play was extremely poor and their defence weak against the on-rushing Wests' forwards. Harold Sage had a gala day, driving in four goals of the six, three in the first half and another after the change over. Two minutes after the kick-off, Harold started the Wests on a scoring spree when he scored to the corner after rounding Moody, Esquimalt back.

It was at the five-minute mark that Harold Sage got his second goal. George Barnes had practically put the ball into the net, but Sage rushed in and made sure. Eight minutes later the Greenshirts, still having a big edge, went three up, Nip Sage driving a first timer to the top of the net after taking a cross from Right-Winger Barnes. Sage beat Moody and then let go.

Sensing a bad defeat and elimination from the series, Esquimalt switched their line-up around. Holt came on at right half and Moody went off, Joe Watt going to the back division and Barnswell moving up to right wing. Still they couldn't find a scoring punch and the Wests made it 4-0 at forty minutes when Harold Sage completed the "hat trick" after receiving G. Barnes' pass. A minute from time the Wests were given a "gift" goal when Joe Watt kicked the ball back to Hornsby and the leather bounced through his arms into the net.

DOCKERS SCORE

Less than a minute after the second half opened, Earle Barnswell started Esquimalt on a short scoring spree when he picked the corner with a well-directed drive. Esquimalt showed much more fight in this half and were forcing the Wests at every opportunity. After twenty-two minutes Jimmy Stewart scored for the Dockers after Restell had punched clear, and then eight minutes later John Watt fired home a fast left-footer after breaking through. Shortly after this marker, Bobby Bell went off with leg injuries and Alan Wright replaced him.

George Payne brought Restell to his knees with two terrific drives which had goal written all over them, but the netminder made two sensational stops. Less than a minute from time, Harold Sage got his fourth tally when he picked the far corner after crashing through the Esquimalt defence.

Dowds refereed and teams follow:

Victoria West—T. Restell, Cooper, Bell, Smith, C. Restell, R. Barnes, G. Barnes, N. Sage, H. Sage, Morgan, Dallimore and Wright.

Esquimalt—Hornsby, Moody, Laird, Barnswell, Halkett, McBay, Joe Watt, J. Stewart, John Watt, A. Stewart, Payne and Holt.

CITY ADVANCES

Displaying the ability to come through in the pinches, coupled with a stonewall defence, Victoria City eleven smothered a game squad from the Garrison, 6-2, at Heywood Avenue. The City presented a really smart team and although the Tommies had their share of the play, they wilted badly as soon as they arrived in pay-off territory. On the whole it was a bang-up game that kept a fair crowd interested from start to finish.

Al Condon, clever centre-forward for the City, netted four goals, two of them from the penalty spot in the first half. Ord and Bill Robbins were the other scorers for the maroon-shirted boys.

Jimmy Worswick turned in a hard game for the loser's at centre-forward and drove home both of their markers. The stocky soldier uncorked a smart play in securing his second goal as he closed in on Rowe, after Leggett missed the ball in attempting to clear, and forced the leather into the hemp.

BRILLIANT START

Opening with a determined rush, the soldiers swarmed all over the City and looked as though they would chalk up a win. They gradually withered, however, and with two penalties scored against them, and additional tallies by Condon and Ord, against Worswick's lone effort, they trailed along 4-1. Worswick's second goal gave them more life and as the second half opened, the Tommies completely dominated the play.

Their efforts to crash through the City's rearguard, which starred Glen Robbins on the halfline, George Leggett fullback and Wally Rowe netminder, proved futile. The City's rushes were less frequent but more deadly, with Condon making it 5-2 and Bill Robbins finally boosting the score to 6-2 a few minutes from time.

Bill Cull handled the whistle.

The teams follow:

Victoria City — Rowe, Leggett, Fieldhouse, Williams, C. Robbins, G. Robbins, Murray, McCaig, Ord, Condon, B. Robbins and J. Robbins.

Garrison—Coldwell, Cook, McIlvenny, Wallace, Thompson, Thorburn, McAllister, Edwards, Worswick, Watt and Evans.

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Annual Golf Meet Carded in March

Other parts of Canada may be knee-deep in snow, and coal bills, but the mashie is mightier than the scoop shovel in sunny Victoria. The British Columbia capital, at the southern tip of Vancouver Island, takes its Winter golf in stride, and prepares light-heartedly for the eleventh annual Empress Winter golf tournament to be played at the seaside Oak Bay course of the Victoria Golf Club, March 6-11. The tourney, attracting shotmakers from both sides of the border on the Pacific Coast as well as many Prairie players who get a March madness for the smell of turf and the click of clubhead on gutta percha, is tailor-made for golf's "Forgotten Man," the high-handicapper. The Sir Edward Beatty handicap competition for men and women is the featured event, but the Victoria Chamber of Commerce event for scratch players attracts golfdom's biggest names. In addition are more than fifty other prizes for a six-day meet chockfull of play. Above, a Winter golf scene from Oak Bay's seventh tee, looking down to the sea.

CONSERVATIVES IN FOOTBALL VICTORY

Driving in two goals in the final half after being on the short end of a 2-1 score at the breather, Conservatives came from behind yesterday afternoon to defeat the Navy, 3-2, in a Merchants' Football League match at the High School ground.

Switzer and Fuller scored for the sailors in the initial stanza, and Drummond bagged the Conservatives' lone marker before the rest interval. In the first session Tuthill and Drummond registered for the eventual winners.

Bray refereed, and teams were:

Navy — Hall, Mackie, Haycock, Woolley, Davies, Mitchell, Price, Rafter, Fuller, Switzer, Bournfield, Martyn, Potts and Renton.

Conservatives — Court, Baker, Bishop, Corness, A. Coleman, E. Coleman, Dunaway, Rowe, Singleton, Tuthill, Hodgkinson, Drummond and McSween.

Playing at Central Park, Mount Tolmie, Merchants' League leaders, defeated Admirals, 3-1. The eventual losers notched their lone marker in the opening half and were enjoying a 1-0 lead at the interval.

Mount Tolmie, held scoreless for sixty minutes, marked up two quick goals with Harper and Hayward sharing the honors. Minnis added a third and final tally ten minutes before the final whistle.

Woodley refereed.

BOWLING

ARCADE ALLEYS

LADIES' TENPIN LEAGUE

Nine Pinners—Erma Stables, 411; Kitty Cameron, 444; Mary Crowe, 402; Hilda Gray, 374; handicap, 279. Total, 1,901.
Go-Gos—Nan Burns, 448; Chris Burley; Jessie Bourne, 409; Ann Johnson, 455; handicap, 291. Total, 1,900.
Nine Pinners won two.

Left-Overs—D. McBeath, 486; J. Hibberd, 473; V. Elwood, 340; E. Stewart, 307; G. Elves, 374; handicap, 15. Total, 2,195.
Huskies—F. Irvine, 472; I. Goodman, 528; E. McBeath, 380; M. Hurst, 410; B. Ray, 505; handicap, 6. Total, 2,301.
Huskies won two.

Dynamiters—Ruth Mercer, 443; Kitty Freer, 483; Flo Calder, 401; Mynne Baker, 400; low score, 419; handicap, 234. Total, 2,380.
Brunsdons—Alyce Armstrong, 563; Eil. Peden, 443; May Dunnett, 426; Betty Elves, 509; Dolly Hume, 346; handicap, 15. Total, 2,502.
Brunsdons won two.

COMMERCIAL TENPIN LEAGUE

Beavers—G. Andrews, 598; R. Mercer, 434; R. Hibbard, 449; B. McKeever, 393; low score, 430; handicap, 134. Total, 2,369.
Arcades—J. Anaas, 471; A. Spouse, 528; J. Stewart, 425; F. Ray, 506; J. Temple, 524; handicap, 12. Total, 2,468.
Arcades won two.

Emsees—D. Elford, 457; J. Poirier, 427; W. Boyd, 452; low score, 387; low score, 414; handicap, 9. Total, 2,156.
Eagles—W. Holness, 396; H. McDonald, 425; A. Potts, 486; J. Patterson, 412; D. Easler, 53[illegible]; handicap, 21. Total, 2,308.
Eagles won three.

Colonist—K. Matthews, 395; A. Stokes, 450; W. Burke, [illegible]; F. Borde, 556; R. Turner, 488. Total, 2,382.
Coach & Horses—R. Heal, 484; B. Taylor, 457; F. Beans, 550; A. [illegible], 442; F. Ruell, 521. Total, 2,454.
Coach & Horses won two.

SENIOR CITY TENPIN LEAGUE

Five Roses Flour—I. Malcolm, 489; C. Steele, [illegible]09; H. Moulton, [illegible]; J. Leetham, 519; A. Falk, 588. Total, 2,678.
Arcades—A. Be[illegible]n, 498; C. Kerr, 443; C. Freer, [illegible]25; R. Semple, 4[illegible]; Low Score, 479. Total, 2,416.
Five Roses Flour won 2.
Poodle Dog Cafe—A. Porter, 531; R. Rid[illegible]; J. Howe[illegible], [illegible]27; J. Ferguson, 548; R. Wilson, 524. Total, 2,702.
The Daily Colonist—W. Templeton, 469; H. Hazzard, 513; B. Peden, 549; A. Hawk[illegible], 544; C. Chislett, 4[illegible]. Total, [illegible].
Poodle Dog Cafe won 2.

[illegible] FIVEPIN LEAGUE

A Team—D. Thirlwall, 513; W. Biance, 462; W. Prevost, 415; R. Riches, 355. Total, 1,745.
A Team—B. Jenkins, 495; A. Pellow, 498; O. Prior, 368; A. Jarvie, 330. Total, 1,691.
D. Team—A. Vivian, 501; G. Scott, 562; C. Ockenden, 423; T. Riley, 350. Total, 1,836.
B. Team—M. Chambers, 437; R. Williams, 439; W. Kendrick, 358; E. Rundell, 339. Total, 1,573.
C. Team—J. Peirson, 456; D. Hull, 463; M. Pollard, 443; G. Fane, 397. Total, 1,759.

CANADIAN LEGION FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Pro Patria—R. Lea, 559; H. Wilkinson, 537; W. Talbot, 618; W. Morry, 555; C. Tickle, 683. Total, 2,950.
Naval Vets—J. McBay, 620; W. Holland, 574; W. Johnson, 495; W. McBay, 643; C. Chislett, 566. Total, 2,898.
Britannia—D. Clarke, 788; H. Baker, 641; R. Milburn, 565; V. Scarborough, 517; H. Pickup, 606. Total, 3,117.
Britannia won two.
Pro Patria won one.

OLYMPIC ALLEYS

LUMBERMEN'S LEAGUE

Lemon Gonnason, No. 1—M. Laverick, 562; P. Paulson, 564; W. Bellon, 525; W. Brown, 605; G. Dean, 529; handicap, 171. Total, 2,958.
Cameron Lumber Co.—K. Perry, 422; A. McLean, 687; E. Randall, 479; H. Munsie, 456; C. Brown, 584; handicap, 267. Total, 2,897.
Lemon Gonnason, No. 1 won two.

Moore Whittington Mill, No. 1—C. Holt, 592; H. D. Beveridge, 602; A. D. Robertson, 449; J. Cathcart, 655; D. R. Hurdle, 711; handicap, 150. Total, 3,216.
Moore Whittington Mill, No. 2—W. Symonds, 527; W. Edwards, 592; F. Bossons, 592; W. Ella, 448; J. Louie, 481; handicap, 210. Total, 2,830.
Moore Whittington Mill, No. 1 won three.

Lemon Gonnason, No. 2—G. Harknett, Jr., 496; S. Beaney, 493; G. Harknett, Sr., 349; F. Elford, 534; F. Day, 465; E. Base, 478; handicap, 211. Total, 2,826.
Shawnigan Lumber—H. Mackey, 537; K. Harrison, 462; D. Anderson, 520; D. Lambier, 418; handicap, 201. Total, 2,138.
Lemon Gonnason, No. 2 won three.

Moore Whittington Factory, No. 2—Bowers, 560; Gibbons, 352; Morgan, 602; Errington, 646; Thomas, 589; handicap, 156. Total, 2,905.
Moore Whittington Factory, No. 1—C. Bowers, 417; S. Ball, 527; C. Parrott, 405; W. Moyser, 481; B. Shepherd, 373; handicap, 204. Total, 2,429.
Moore Whittington Factory, No. 2 won three.

ROTARY FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Typers—Kennedy, 524; Armstrong, 394; Lemm, 429; Dowell, 450; Boale, 505; handicap, 303. Total, 2,605.
Weiners—G. Orard, 467; J. P. Land, 474; A. Lindsay, 456; F. Doherty, 554; H. Timberlake, 117; T. Johnson, 272; handicap, 196. Total, 2,536.
Typers won two.

Oilers—Rives, 540; Simpson, 503; Banfield, 354; Lamont, 414; Corcoran, 683; handicap, 231. Total, 2,725.
Freighters—Bowers, 357; Davies, 504; Craig, 365; Ireland, 417; Armistead, 532; handicap, 132. Total, 2,307.
Oilers won three.

LADIES' TENPIN LEAGUE

Hum-Dingers—Jenny Johnston, 404; Lillian Stocker, 292; Jean Hepburn, 559; Olive Matthews, 408; Ingrid Goodman, 467. Total, 2,130.
Five-Quizzes—L. Hansen, 461; G. I'Anson, 403; C. Burley, 357; low score, 292; low score, 358. Total, 1,871.
Hum-Dingers won three.

Jitter Bugs—Olive Webber, 387; Gladys Rayboune, 454; Thelma Artiss, 359; Georgia McNaught, 321. Total, 1,521.
Hi-Jinx—E. McBeath, 462; I. Ramsdale, 37[illegible]; J. Bourne, 389; D. White, 299. Total, 1,525.
Jitter-Bugs won two.

COMMERCIAL "A" TENPIN LEAGUE

Pacific Club—O. Leach, 552; R. Semple, 490; A. Borthwick, 466; J. Howard, 469; H. Stuart, 544; handicap, 45. Total, 2,486.
Sands—Bryan, 5[illegible]; Harris, 270; Hill, 304; Ruell, [illegible]; Stock, 4[illegible]; Gurr, 390; handicap, 34. Total, 2,496.
Pacific Club won one. Sands won one.

Maroons—W. Johnston, 547; F. Barrie, [illegible]; G. Harknett, 416; W. Mitchell, [illegible]70; P. Sherratt, 513; handicap, 36. Total, 2,568.
Wanderers—[illegible] Struthers, 472; G. Hopkins, 463; A. McKenzie, 459; R. Munn, 539; C. Holmes, 491; handicap, 105. Total, 2,529.
Maroons won two.

Victoria City Dairy—R. Wootten, 455; V. Sanderson, [illegible]; M. O'Connell, 239; R. Fredette, [illegible]46; R. Doherty, 532; W. Conlan, 129; handicap, 207. Total, 2,628.
Morris Kersey Coffee Shop—C. Peterson, [illegible]; M. Den[illegible]; 447; Stan Oldham, 527; W. Kersey, 460; low score, 4[illegible]3; handicap, 57. Total, 2,455.
Victoria City Dairy won two.

Cameron Lumber Co.—J. Bonner, 396; R. Gray, 493; S. Crandell, 372; F. Dempsey, 626; handicap, 86. Total, 2,143.
Causeway Service Station—C. Rawlings, 481; C. Fraser, 506; P. Fitzsimmons, 571; J. Burden, 5[illegible]; handicap, 114. Total, 2,[illegible]62.
Cameron Lumber Co. won two.

COMMERCIAL FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Ideal Barbers—J. Bethell, 673; C. Savage, 702; J. Green, 891; T. McConnan, 566; handicap, 78. Total, 2,710.
Cameron Lumber Co.—F. Viggers, 625; H. Swetnam, 433; G. Base, 511; J. Mooney, 484; handicap, 231. Total, 2,284.
Ideal Barbers won two.

New Method Laundries—W. Waters, 522; D. Danes, [illegible]80; W. Jones, 678; J. Imrie, 608; A. Dunderdale, 612; handicap, 216. Total, 3,216.
K. of P. A.—J. Waters, 62[illegible]; Geo. Al[illegible]; [illegible]61; Bob Pro[illegible], 51[illegible]; Dick Jones, [illegible]; low score, [illegible]; handicap, 60. Total, 2,781.
New Method Laundries won two.

Wanderers Set Back Scottish Ruggers to Gain Tie With Bays

Oak Bay Fifteen Registers 8-3 Victory in Postponed Match in Senior Division—Earn Right To Meet J.B.A.A. for First Half

Making more of their scoring opportunities, Oak Bay Wanderers yesterday defeated the Canadian Scottish, 8-3, in a postponed Barnard Cup Rugby match played on the lower field at Macdonald Park. The score was 8-0 for the Wanderers at the end of the first half.

The outcome left the Wanderers and J.B.A.A. deadlocked in the premier berth in the first-half chase for the silverware and forced a sudden-death play-off game for the honors. The match will probably be played on February 11.

Scottish, who with the Navy and the Garrison will be merged into a United Services fifteen for the second-half schedule of the Barnard Cup series, went down fighting, even in the last few minutes when they were left with fourteen men. Biggerstaff Martin, young member of the Canadian Scottish, was banished from the field of play by Referee Percy Swetnam for talking.

DETERMINED BID

Blanked 14-0 the previous week by the Oak Bay ruggers, the "kilties" made a determined bid for victory yesterday, and had they been capable of making better use of their chances would probably have finished on the right side of the score sheet. However, in fairness to the Wanderers it must be said that they packed more scoring punch and were always dangerous on the attack.

Red-headed Tom Carney, wing three-quarter of the Wanderers who turned in another good performance, made the openings for the pair of trys scored by the winners. Carney, possessor of a good kick, cleared a dangerous Scottish offensive in his own half of the field and paved the way for Dan Doswell to go over. Grogan missed the kick. A similar play, but this time with Carney carrying the ball over the Scottish line, gave the eventual winners their final try. Grogan's kick from directly in front of the posts was good, and the Wanderers reach the breather leading, 8-0.

Far from discouraged despite their inability to score in the opening half, after outplaying their opponents, the Scottish opened the final stanza with renewed vigor. Battling up hill they threw everything they had into a last effort to defeat the Wanderers. They fell short by five points, but not for the lack of trying.

Albie Williams, brilliant young forward, garnered the "kilties" lone try ten minutes after the resumption when he crossed the Oak Bay line following a line-out. The kick for extra points failed.

Both teams fought doggedly for additional points, but the score was unchanged at the final whistle.

Referee, Swetnam.

Teams:

Oak Bay Wanderers—Grogan, B. Murdoch, G. Murdoch, Carney, Roberts, Barber, Anderson, Forbes, Gornall, Doswell, Acland, Stevens, Ley, Guelpa and Lannigan.

Canadian Scottish — Warwick, Willard, Smith, Paul, Coomber, Williams, B. Martin, Knight, Moffatt, Hughes, Rutherford, Narod, DeMacedo, S. Martin and Sorenson.

HUMAN STORY

The schoolboy who wrote the following had got his facts right, but he might have expressed himself a little more happily:

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The dates:

Winnipeg—Whittier Park, June 2-17, inclusive; Polo Park, June 20-July 5.

Calgary—July 8-15.

Edmonton—July 17-22.

Saskatoon—July 25-29.

Regina—July 31-August 5.

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Plays and Players

Mystery Comedy to Show For Last Times Monday

"There's That Woman Again," referring to Melvyn Douglas' detective spouse in "There's Always a Woman," will appear for the last times at the Dominion Theatre tomorrow, with Virginia Bruce in the role introduced by Joan Blondell. Douglas, who created the character of the wife-troubled Bill Reardon in the orginal romantic mystery-comedy, again plays the harassed detective.

The story opens with Melvyn Douglas, as a private detective, faced with a perplexing crime problem. Daily thefts from the exclusive Nacelle Jewelry Company store have everybody—especially the insurance company—in a dither of excitement. Douglas has but one major suspect, a clerk in the store. When he is about to jail this clerk his wife, Virginia Bruce, accepts the suspect as a client. Thus Douglas finds himself faced with the dilemma of trying to prove the clerk guilty, while his madcap wife is doing rather amazing things to prove him innocent.

RITZ BOYS TAKE REAL STEAM BATH

Comedy Trio Enjoy Hot Water Ducking for Scene in "The Goldwyn Follies"

Receiving the treatment ordinarily reserved for prima donnas, the Ritz brothers worked in steam-heated canal waters and were drenched by chill-proof rains during the filming of one of their comedy routines for Samuel Goldwyn's technicolor musical extravaganza, "The Goldwyn Follies," which will come to the Columbia Theatre on Monday.

The routine has a Venetian setting and called for the comedians to take repeated duckings in the canal waters and to be drenched by a studio-manufactured rain. As Al Ritz had just recovered from a severe cold, the steam heating of the water was a precaution to safeguard his health.

"THREE COMRADES" IN OAK BAY SCREEN FARE

Margaret Sullivan, who will appear with Robert Taylor, Franchot Tone and Robert Young in "Three Comrades," opening tomorrow on the Oak Bay screen, was carried from Hollywood obscurity to film stardom overnight.

A descendant of one of Virginia's oldest families, Miss Sullavan was born on May 11 in Norfolk. After her graduation from Sullins College in Virginia, she joined E. E. Clive's dramatic school at the Copley Theatre in Boston. Later she helped to organize a dramatic company at Cape Cod where for three Summers she played juvenile leads with the University Players.

KIWANIS KAPERS TO BE STAGED AT ROYAL

Under the distinguished patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Hamber, the "Kiwanis Kapers of 1939" will be presented at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Thursday, March 2.

With William F. Tickle as director-in-chief of the show, and an augmented Empress Hotel dance orchestra of fourteen pieces as its core, the Kiwanis Club is arranging a programme even superior to the initial "Kapers" presentation of last year.

The proceeds will be devoted entirely to the many commendable objectives of the Kiwanis Club, particularly to their work for the under-privileged boys and the Victoria College scholarship.

Associated with Mr. Tickle in the "Kiwanis Kapers" enterprise are Austin Curtis, A. C. Stickley, W. W. MacDonald, P. Archie Gibbs, Brian Burdon-Murphy, Norman R. Hill, J. George Saul, Leslie B. Lamb, Jack Fawcett, Fred McGregor and W. A. Patterson.

SANG FOR PENNIES, NOW COMEDY QUEEN

The funniest female on two feet—that's what the Continent considers that irrepressible English lass, Gracie Fields. And since Canadian movie-goers have seen her in "We're Going to Be Rich" they're inclined to agree.

The inimitable comedienne will come to the Dominion Theatre on Tuesday in "Smiling Along," the gay 20th Century production, bringing a load of new pranks and singing a glorious collection of new songs.

Gracie rose from lowly beginnings, starting her career as a child, singing for pennies on the streets of her native Lancashire village.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas—"The Sisters," starring Bette Davis.

Capitol—"Sweethearts," starring Jeanette MacDonald.

Columbia—"The Goldwyn Follies," with Charlie McCarthy.

Dominion—"There's That Woman Again," with Melvyn Douglas.

Oak Bay—"Three Comrades," with Margaret Sullavan.

Plaza — "Trade Winds," starring Fredric March.

In Technicolor Musical

Reginald Gardiner, Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy In a Scene From the Technicolor Film "Sweethearts," the Current Attraction at the Capitol Theatre

Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy at Capitol

Victor Herbert's "Sweethearts," in technicolor, with Nelson Eddy and the lovely redhead, Jeanette MacDonald, which started yesterday at the Capitol Theatre, brings to Victoria a musical film that will rank in motion picture history—if not outrank—with "Rose Marie," "Maytime" and "Naughty Marietta."

It is simply delightful in every aspect, with catchy tunes, brilliant cast, gorgeous settings and amazing coloring.

That many of the numbers are well known does not detract a bit from their freshness and charm as presented by the marvellous Eddy and the glamourous Jeanette. Some of the hits are "Sweethearts," "You're Pretty as a Picture," "Summer Serenade," "Wooden Shoes," and Nelson Eddy's stirring militaire, "On Parade."

"TRADE WINDS" IS BEING HELD OVER

Film Starring Fredric March and Ann Sothern to Show Three More Days at Plaza

"One-Take March" was the nickname bestowed on Frederic March during the filming of Walter Wanger's "Trade Winds," which will be held over at the Plaza Theatre for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

During three close-up scenes, March was photographed only once in each case, and Director Garnett beamed happily because the actor had given him just what he wanted the first time.

March is supported by Joan Bennett, Ralph Bellamy, Ann Sothern and Rudolph Mate in this detective adventure story released through United Artists.

LECTURE-RECITAL WILL BE OFFERED

Marion Keighley Snowden, Pianist, to Appear at Empress Hotel Tomorrow Night

MRS. ALLON PEEBLES

Mrs. Allon Peebles is president of the Musical Art Society, which has given its patronage to the piano lecture-recital to be given by Marion Keighley Snowden at the Empress Hotel, tomorrow night at 8:30 o'clock.

Marion Keighley Snowden has met with great success wherever she has given her piano lecture-recital.

The Bradford Telegraph (England), has this to say of Miss Snowden: "She has a facile technique with a dainty conception of the old spirit of the music of this period" (the post restoration period).

Miss Snowden was greatly enjoyed when she made her first appearance in Victoria in a lecture recital, using the virginals to illustrate her lecture.

Yielding to the requests of many admirers, Miss Snowden will play one or two pieces on the virginals at the close of her announced programme. Lantern slide illustrations will be given.

NOTICED IT?

Betty: "Have you noticed it?"

Bob: "Noticed what?"

Betty: "That in the Fall the leaves leave."

Bob: "And the leaves in the Fall fall."

"TRIAL BY JURY" TO BE GIVEN IN CHURCH

Gilbert and Sullivan's "Trial by Jury" will be presented in the schoolroom of the First United Church on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, February 1 and 2, at 8 o'clock.

A very interesting cast has been selected for the forthcoming presentation and is as follows: Angela (the plaintiff), Mrs. C. A. Goodwin; George (the defendant), John Bell; counsel for plaintiff, Neil H. Perry; court usher, Robert Morrison; clerk of court, James Petrie; judge, W. C. Fyfe; the jury, J. Loudoun (foreman); Mrs. S. Shaw, Misses C. Menzies, M. Mitchell, L. Gilham, M. Simpson, Messrs. S. Oakes, A. Cameron, R. Hardy, J. M. Thomas, J. Smith, W. B. Crowther.

The first part of the programme will consist of vocal solos by Mrs. R. Nash, Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Miss L. McCall, James Petrie and W. Inglis. Mrs. W. B. Crowther will give a monologue and J. Jones will be the flutist. G. H. Peaker will be accompanist.

The proceeds of the concert will be devoted to the organ fund.

A SLAVE OF HABIT

"Very fine day, sir," said a garrulous barber. There was no reply. "Looks rather like rain, though," he added as he stropped the razor. Silence. "Terrible thing that airship disaster." Still silence. "Got a tender face," he went on as he made a sweep with the razor. "Don't shave close, do you, sir?" Profound silence. "What will you have on your face, sir—bay-rum, sir?" No reply. "A little powder? There you are, sir! Pay the cashier at the desk, please." Then and not till then, the wielder of the razor realized that he had been shaving himself!

MANY HOMES ARE PLANNED

Weather Conditions Appear To Prompt Greater Building Enterprises

With the Spring conditions prevailing, an incentive appears to have come for increased building activity on the part of residents in Greater Victoria. Among the permits taken out in the surrounding municipalities, Saanich led during the past week in the number of buildings planned. There were permits for four homes issued at the Royal Oak Municipal Hall for the last week in January. Esquimalt came second with two houses, while Oak Bay had one permit for the week.

In Saanich there was a total of nine permits, representing in all $7,500, but of these only $6,700 was for homes.

Mrs. R. Bennett will build, on Earl Grey Street, a five-roomed house at a cost of $2,300.

MORE SAANICH HOMES

Mrs. V. V. Abbott will erect a four-roomed home at the corner of Shelbourne Street and McRae Street at a cost of $2,400.

Two $1,000 dwellings will be constructed. One will be by B. Volantey on Tolmie Avenue and Maplewood Road containing three rooms. The other will be erected by W. Rhode on Central Saanich Road and will contain four rooms.

In Esquimalt K. Hemsworth is erecting two homes on Lyall Street, each of them to cost $2,800 and containing four rooms each.

In addition, the Gorge Hotel is to be improved by the spending of $225 on alterations.

In the municipality of Oak Bay, J. Chadderton will build a $3,500 home containing six rooms at 989 Hampshire Road.

"THE SISTERS" IS COMING TO ATLAS

Bette Davis and Errol Flynn Have Starring Roles With Anita Louise in Cast

"The Sisters," the Warner Bros. picture which will open at the Atlas Theatre on Monday, is the second production in which Jane Bryan has portrayed Bette Davis' younger sister. She had a similar role in "Marked Women."

"The Sisters," picturization of the Myron Brinig novel, stars Miss Davis and Errol Flynn. Third of the trio of sisters from which the story gets its name is Anita Louise.

Miss Bryan, who is Miss Davis' protege, also worked with the brilliant dramatic actress in "Kid Galahad."

What Today Means

"AQUARIUS"

If January 29 is your birthday the best hours for you on this date are from 10:15 a.m., to 12:15 p.m.; from 2:15 to 4:15 p.m., and from 7:15 to 9:15 p.m. The danger periods are from 8:15 to 10:15 a.m.; from 5:15 to 7:15 p.m., and from 9:15 to 11:15 p.m.

Conditions ought to be conducive today to people with a similarity of ideas to get together. Simply because a person is goodnatured does not mean it will be safe to try to impose upon him. This is a day when dispositions can change "in a twinkle of an eye," so it is advisable to be guarded in your remarks. From unkind gossip there is apt to come an under-current of resentment that will sweep away equanimity and be the cause of disturbing conditions so it will be well not to indulge in it. Do not be too ready to scoff at suggestions, for many of them may have some merit. Overly particular and fault-finding people are likely to have difficulties, so try to adjust yourself to circumstances. Married and engaged couples, and those absorbed in thoughts of love, might do well to remember that "the future is a world limited by ourselves," through our erecting barriers out of fears and pessimism.

If a woman and January 29 is your birthday, through social or business activities you ought to make many friends. Temporary setbacks should never disturb you, for you are fully capable of overcoming them. Your advice may be sought frequently. You ought to prove to be a medium through which much good will come to the benefit of your family and friends. By reading carefully selected books and a variety of personal experiences, you can gain an understanding of human nature that is liable to become one of your greatest assets. Secretarial or managerial work, music, teaching, selling, acting or painting may win for you a gratifying amount of publicity and an enviable income. In marriage you may see your dearest dreams come true.

The child born on January 29 must be taught not to be demanding. Consideration, and a respect for the rights of other people, should be impressed upon this youngster at a very early age. Children born on this date usually make a success in any line of activity they are permitted to select for themselves.

If a man and January 29 is your natal day, with you, most likely, "thoughts are mightier than strength of hand," and it may be through your constructive thinking power, fame and money will be won. Politics, newspaper work, authorship, composing, teaching, preaching, selling, acting and promoting ought to offer you many excellent opportunities to reach a high position in the social and business world.

MONDAY, JANUARY 30

"AQUARIUS"

If January 30 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.; from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., and from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. The danger periods are from 6:30 to 8:30 a.m.; from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., and from 9:30 to 11:30 p.m.

You may find the average person inclined to be talkative this day, and not easily satisfied with brief statements. An insatiable desire for details is apt to make many persons seem unreasonable in their demands upon other people's time. You ought to be able to accomplish whatever you have carefully planned, for conditions are conducive to the successful carrying out of systematized endeavor. This is not the time for a "knock" to prove to be "a boost." Anything said this day detrimental to anyone's character or ability is liable to involve the person saying it in as much or more trouble than it will the person criticized. Discerning people may find many occasions to be lavish with praise, particularly in matters involving their personal comfort. Married and engaged couples, and those who have won the admiration and love of someone matrimonially inclined, will have to practice forebearance, particularly in the way of fault finding, if they wish to get through the day peacefully.

If a woman and January 30 is your birthday, by waiting until tomorrow to do things you may lose a golden opportunity. What might seem to some people to be a fantastic idea of yours may become valuable if reduced to practical use. You perhaps will be much better off in reasoning your problems out for yourself, than to figure on someone else to do this for you. You will not need wealth and luxuries to make you happy, for love is liable to do this for you. Through dancing, singing, acting, painting, selling, writing, or as a business manager, you should make an unqualified success of your life. Many joys and few sorrows are likely to enter your married life.

The child born on January 30, seldom is the cause of worry to its parents. This youngster's affability will win the good will of both young and old. Most Aquarian children grow up to be numbered among the highly respected, prosperous people of their community.

If a man and January 30 is your natal day, you must avoid appearing to be of a secretive nature, if you wish to inspire confidence in others. You may display a decided aptitude for becoming a lawyer, doctor, architect, naturalist, botanist, geologist, actor, writer, mechanical or electrical engineer, or salesman.

SAANICH LIBERALS

Ward Two, Saanich Liberal Association, will hold a general meeting at its headquarters, Grist Hall, Douglas Street, tomorrow at 8 p.m. Alan Chambers will be the speaker. A large attendance is requested.

Jane Dixon Says:

THIS HUSBAND IS ENDANGERING THE HAPPINESS OF HIS HOME BY SHOWING TOO MUCH ATTENTION TO THE GIRL WHO WORKS IN HIS OFFICE.

Any man who loves his wife and cherishes his home will not hurt that wife or imperil the peace, much less the existence, of that home, to follow an idle fancy.

Dear Jane Dixon: I have been married for seven years. I'm twenty-five. My husband is twenty-eight.

We have got along pretty well together until about a year ago. At that time my husband changed his job, now there is a girl who works with him sometimes.

He took this girl home one evening while I was waiting for him in a restaurant. When I found out about it and questioned him, he said he happened to be going her way on business and so just dropped her off. Later, I discovered that he has taken her home other times.

I work, too. I do not feel he is doing right by keeping me waiting while he takes this girl home. The last time I waited an hour and, of course, I was hurt. He said the reason he was so late was that he couldn't get his car out of the parking space. I found out he had not told me the truth—the trouble was the girl again, not the parking space.

My husband insists he loves me more than anyone on earth, that the girl is just a friend—what you might call an idle fancy. If he loves and cares nothing particular about the girl, why would he go on hurting me as he does? I try to believe in him, to think he is just thoughtless or perhaps easily led. I can't keep my faith fresh and blooming forever when he does so much to destroy it. What do you think about it all?—Faithful Wife.

Comment: Unless your husband stops "seeing Maggie home," he is as full of idle words as he is of idle fancies. True love does not go around with lies on its lips and guile in its heart. A man who loves his wife better than anyone on earth does not keep her waiting in fear and in uncertainty while he "drops off" another woman who happens to be working with him. He does not risk the destruction of the peace, comfort and happiness of his home in order to give a girl a lift.

Better tell your husband he must choose between "seeing Maggie to her house" and seeing you in your home. A showdown often clears up a dangerous situation.

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Ymir Gold Mines Gives Production Figures for 1938

Production at the Ymir Consolidated Gold Mines Ltd. at Ymir for 1938 amounted to $208,752.70 according to figures released by R. C. McCandlish, managing director. The company has reduced an original $100,000 bond on the Goodenough Mine to $8,488.95 as at December 31 last year, but plans to have the balance paid off before the annual meeting is called.

Sinking fund and interest on debentures has been kept paid up. Operating account is reported in good shape and exploration is continuing at Goodenough, where a new discovery and bulk sample has been created.

SOCIAL CREDIT ADVISER TALKS

L. D. Byrne Says Canada Is Dictatorship Under Financial Interests

EDMONTON, Jan. 28 (CP).—Charges that Canada is a dictatorship under administration of finance was made yesterday by L. D. Byrne, technical adviser to the Alberta Social Credit Board, in an address to the third annual convention of the Alberta Social Credit League here today.

Mr. Byrne declared that international conflict was not between two groups of countries known as dictatorships and democracies, but between two strong financial powers. Actually there were no true democracies in the world, he said.

Canada is a dictatorship and the administrators of the financial system the dictators. They and they alone are responsible for the results of their administration and they must be held responsible if this financial dictatorship is to be overthrown," he said.

BY ORDERLY ACTION

"There is the situation. To meet it, effective action must be taken to render the people the supreme authority in determining the results they want. . . . If we are to have a democracy—if we are to escape the threatening chaos of the present social order—then, I suggest, we must make the change by deliberate and orderly action with which the people as a whole are in accord."

Unable to conclude business in its scheduled two-day convention, delegates to the league meeting will resume their closed business sessions tomorrow.

Military Activities

5th B.C. COAST BRIGADE, R.C.A.

Brigade orders by Lieut.-Col. V. McKenna, M.C., Officer Commanding.

Part I

Duties for Week Ending February 4, 1939—Orderly Officer, Lieut. G. C. D'Arcy; next for duty, Lieut. A. C. N. Smith. Orderly sergeant, L.-Sgt. V. Palmer; next for duty, Sgt. T. G. M. Custance. Orderly bombardier, Bdr. E. W. Rance; next for duty, Bdr. H. J. Wood. Orderly trumpeter, Tpr. E. S. Fry.

Parades—All units of the brigade will parade at the Armoury on Tuesday, January 31, 1939. Dress, mufti. Fall in at 19:00 hours under respective battery commanders. Supper will be served to all ranks at 18:15 hours. Swimming pool will be available from 17:00 to 18:00 hours. Sports equipment will be available on Friday evening and the orderly bombardier will be responsible for issuance. All equipment will be signed for.

Part II

Correction—Part II order No. 27-86 of November 8, 1938 is hereby cancelled in so far as it concerns No 572, Gnr. V. Sorensen.

Strength Increase—7458, Gnr. C. R. Longley, 60th Heavy Bty., R.C.A., 17-1-39; 639, Gnr. B. B. Hagar, 2nd A.A. Bty., R.C.A., 17-1-39.

Re-Attestations — The following are re-attested for a further term of three years: (56th Heavy Battery, R.C.A.)—3135, L.-Sgt. S. A. Brown; 3196, L.-Sgt. F. D. Nelson; 3202, Bdr. G. E. Smith; 3204, L.-Bdr. F. A. Bray.

Promotions—60th Heavy Battery, R.C.A.—To be lieutenant-sergeant: 7378, Bdr. E. V. Johnson, as from 17-1-39. To be bombardier: L.-Bdr. 7381, L.-Bdr. W. R. Hughes, as from 17-1-39; 7410, L.-Bdr. R. Banister, as from 18-1-39; 7429, L.-Bdr. E. O. Newton, as from 19-1-39; 7433, L.-Bdr. H. Woolman, as from 20-1-39. To be lance-bombardier: 7423, Gnr. C. M. MacLeod, as from 17-1-39; 7430, Gnr. R. A. Smith, as from 19-1-39; 7403, Gnr. M. F. Davies, as from 21-1-39.

Strength Decrease—3094, Gnr. E. Anderson, 56th Heavy Bty., R.C.A., 24-1-39; 567, Bdr. R. M. Wight, 2nd A.A. Bty., R.C.A., 24-1-39; 591, Gnr. J. E. Wood, 2nd A.A. Bty., R.C.A., 24-1-39.

F. T. McINTOSH (Lieut.-Adjt.),
5th B.C. Coast Brigade, R.C.A.

17th FORTRESS COY., ROYAL CANADIAN ENGINEERS, (N.P.)

Orders for the week ending Tuesday, January 31, 1939, by Major J. H. McIntosh.

Parades—The 17th Fortress Coy., R.C.E., will parade at Coy. H.Q. at 19:30 hours, Tuesday, January 31, 1939. Dress: Drill order.

Duties—To be orderly officer for the ensuing week, Lieut. W. Hall. To be orderly sergeant for the ensuing week, Sgt. A. W. Robertson.

J. A. COPEMAN, Lieut. for Major,
O.C. 17th Fortress Coy., R.C.E. (N.P.)

1st BATTALION (16th C.E.F.) CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT

Battalion orders by Major E. A. Henderson, Officer Commanding.

Part I

Orderly duties—Orderly duties for week ending February 4, 1939, are as follows: Orderly officer, 2nd-Lieut. C. E. C. MacNelli; next for duty, 2nd-Lieut. J. D. C. Holland. Orderly sergeant, Sgt. A. Weatherill; next for duty, A.-Sgt. R. McKenzie-Grieve. Orderly corporal, L.-Cpl. E. R. McMinn; next for duty, Cpl. M. Waldron. Duty company, "A" Company; next for duty, "B" Company.

Battalion Training Parade, Monday, January 30, 1939—All ranks will parade in company rooms at 19:55 hours. Dress: Drill order. The battalion will fall in at 20:00 hours. 20:00 hours to 20:10 hours: The roll will be called by companies on the floor of the Armoury; 20:10 hours to 20:55 hours: "A" and "B" Companies, guard training; "C" and "D" Companies: Sand model, "Infantry in the Defence"; 21:00 hours to 21:40 hours: "A" and "B" Companies: Sand model, "Infantry in the Defence"; "C" and "D" Companies: Guard training. All officers, other than company commanders and seconds-in-command of companies, will carry claymores on battalion parade. Roll books and parade states will be completed by 21:30 hours. 21:40 hours: The battalion will fall in for dismissal.

Officers' Assembly, Monday, January 30, 1939—Officers of "A" and "B" Companies, less company commanders and seconds-in-command, will report to the adjutant at 21:10 hours. Officers of "C" and "D" Companies, less company-commanders and seconds-in-command, will report to the adjutant at 21:00 hours.

Recruits Training, Monday, January 30 and Thursday February 2, 1939—Recruits will assemble for training on these dates at 20:00 hours. Dress will be optional.

Swagger Stick Awards—The following have been awarded brown canes: No. 1780, Pte. J. E. Pearson, "A" Company; No. 1788, Pte. C. E. Stewart, "A" Company; No. 1851, Drmr. A. F. Nelson, "C" Company.

Miniature Rifle Range Shoot, Thursday, February 2, 1939—The miniature rifle range will be available for firing practice on this date from 20:00 hours to 22:00 hours. The following N.C.O.'s are detailed to supervise the use of the range: No. 111, Sergt. C. Coutts, "HQ" Company; No. 113, Sergt. A. E. Ashe, Bn. "HQ" Staff.

Part II

Attestations—The following recruits, having been duly attested, are taken on the strength, allotted regimental numbers and posted as follows: 1892, Drmr. G. W. I. Armistead, "A", with effect from 21-1-39; 1893, Sgnr. R. S. Stevens, "HQ", with effect from 23-1-39.

Re-Attestation — The following N.C.O. has been re-attested for a further period of three years' service: 780, C.Q.M.S. C. H. Skinner, "HQ", with effect from 26-1-39.

Re-Enlistments — The following men, having re-enlisted, are taken on the strength, allotted their regimental numbers and posted as follows: 321, Pte. C. H. Harrison, "B", with effect from 23-1-39; 254, Pte. F. C. Chevalley, "A", with effect from 26-1-39.

Officer Candidates for Royal School—The undermentioned officers have been selected by district headquarters to attend the Royal School: Lieut. E. A. Stewart, "C", from 6-3-39 to 18-3-39; Lieut. K. S. Crabtree, "A", from 13-2-39 to 18-3-39. (V. 66-7-2).

Appointment—The Officer Commanding has been pleased to approve of the following appointment: 1429, A.-Cpl. F. Fisher, "C", to be acting-sergt. with effect from 19-1-39.

Leave of Absence—The following N.C.O.'s are granted leave as shown: 1383, A.-Sgt. W. C. Simpson, "D", from 19-1-39 to 18-2-39; 1654, Cpl. D. H. Grant, "D", from 2-1-39 to 31-3-39.

W. H. PARKER (Captain),
Adjutant, 1st Bn. Canadian Scottish Regiment.

2nd Bn. (M.G.) CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT

Battalion orders by Lieut.-Col. Walter Bapty, Officer Commanding.

Part I

Orderly Duties—Duties for week ending February 4, 1939: Orderly officer, 2nd-Lieut. H. W. Mellish; next for duty, 2nd-Lieut. J. D. M. Gillan. Orderly sergeant, Sgt. H. Nichols; next for duty, L.-Sgt. E. Carter. Orderly piper, Piper E. Crabbe; next for duty, Piper F. Miller.

Issue of Boots Ankle on Payment—Indents for boots for the 1939 camp must be received by the district ordnance officer by April 1, 1939, accompanied by deposit receipts to cover the value. (D.O. 6 of 1939).

Part II

Attestations—92, Pte. C. P. Page, "A" as from 19-1-39; 999, Pte. H. R. Jones, "D" as from 25-1-39; 1000, Pte. J. G. Moseley, "D" as from 25-1-39; 1347, Pte. W. McAllan, "No. 1 Pltn. HQ" as from 11-1-39; 1348, Pte. A. H. Leader, "No. 2 Pltn. HQ" as from 30-11-38; 1349, Pte. G. N. Woodward, "No. 2 Pltn. HQ" as from 11-1-39; 1350, Pte. R. Milburn, "No. 3 Pltn. HQ" as from 11-1-39; 1351, Pte. W. G. Bowser, "No. 2 Pltn. HQ" as from 7-12-38.

Promotions—The O.C. has been pleased to approve of the following: 306, L.-Cpl. A. G. Hoyt, "B" to be corporal, as from 9-1-39; 992, L.-Cpl. P. C. Blon, "D" to be corporal, as from 20-1-39.

Leave—267, Cpl. J. Tytus, "B" from 9-1-39 to 9-4-39; 298, Pte. C. V. Dirk, "B" from 9-1-39 to 9-4-39.

Transfers—916, Cpl. W. C. Rees to Pipes and Drums, as from 20-1-39; 1314, Pte. W. J. McNeill, to No. 1 Pltn. "HQ" as from 1-1-39. (Both ranks transferred from "D" Company.)

Strength Decrease—141, Sgt. A. F. Garnot, "D" with effect from 25-1-39; 898, Sgt. M. K. Lorimer, "D" with effect from 20-1-39; 897, L.-Cpl. G. Lorimer, "D" with effect from 20-1-39; 903, Pte. E. Fitton, "D" with effect from 20-1-39; 988, Pte. R. A. Harrison, "D" with effect from 20-1-39; 1302, Pte. W. N. P. Burns, "HQ" with effect from 1-1-39; 1307, Pte. W. F. Cocks, "HQ" with effect from 1-1-39; 1331, Pte. G. F. W. Cole, "HQ" with effect from 1-1-39.

D. G. CROFTON (Captain),
Adjt. 2nd Bn. (M.G.) Canadian Scottish Regiment.

6th DIVISIONAL ROYAL CANADIAN ARMY SERVICE CORPS

Petrol Company

2nd Composite Company

Orders for the week ending February 4, 1939.

Orderly officer, 2nd-Lieut. R. Macleod; next for duty, 2nd-Lieut. H. T. Scott. Orderly sergeant, Cpl. Cammiade; next for duty, Cpl. Simpson.

Both companies will parade at the Armoury, Bay Street, Tuesday, January 31, at 20:00 hours.

Notice—The monthly meeting of the sergeants' composite mess has been changed from Friday, February 3, to Thursday, February 2, at 20:00 hours.

K. E. MORRIS, Lieut.,
For Officer Commanding.

13th FIELD AMBULANCE R.C.A.M.C. (N.P.)

Part I

Parade—The unit will parade at the Armoury, Bay Street, Victoria, on Tuesday, January 31, 1939, at 19:45 hours. Dress: drill order.

Orderly Duties—To be orderly officer, Lieut. J. S. McCannel; next for duty, Lieut. M. R. Caverhill. To be orderly sergeant, Sgt. E. Jones; next for duty, Sgt. R. Kitching.

Fall-in and Inspection at 20:00 hours.

Unit drill at 20:15 hours.

Lectures on first aid at 21:00 hours.

Notice — The regular monthly meeting of the sergeants' composite mess will be held in the mess on Thursday, February 2, 1939, at 20:00 hours. A full attendance is requested.

C. A. WATSON, Capt.,
Capt. and A.-Adjt., 13th Field Amb.

No. 5 ARMY FIELD WORKSHOP, R.C.O.C. (N.P.)

Orders by Lieut.-Col. H. E. Goodman, Officer Commanding.

Part I

Parade—No. 5 Army Field Workshop, R.C.O.C. (N.P.) will parade at R.C.O.C. Depot, Signal Hill, at 20:00 hours (8:00 p.m.) on Tuesday, January 31, 1939. Dress, drill-order.

Duties—Orderly officer for the week, Lieut. J. A. MacKay; next in line for duty, Lieut. O. W. Branstin. Orderly sergeant for the week, Sgt. J. Rutherford; next in line for duty, Sgt. S. E. Western.

There will be a Unit dance held in the Sergeants' Composite Mess, Armoury, Bay Street, on the evening of Friday, February 3, 1939, from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Dress: Officers, blues; other ranks, uniform and slacks. Medals will be worn.

Part II

Attestations — 56, John Wilson, taken on strength 24-1-39; 57, Alfred Horace Kerley, taken on strength 24-1-39; 58, William Wilson, taken on strength 24-1-39.

Postings—56, John Wilson to No. 2 Recovery Section, 24-1-39; 57, Alfred Horace Kerley to No. 2 Recovery Section, 24-1-39; 58, William Wilson to No. 2 Recovery Section, 24-1-39; 53, Pte. D. G. Pringle, transferred from No. 2 Recovery Section to No. 3, 24-1-39; 54, Pte. C. R. Rich, transferred from No. 2 Recovery Section to No. 3, 24-1-39.

J. A. BENNELL, Lieut.
A.-Adjt., No. 5 Army Field Workshop, R.C.O.C. (N.P.)

No. II, DISTRICT STORE SECTION, ROYAL CANADIAN ORDNANCE CORPS (N.P.)

Part I orders for week ending February 5, 1939, by Capt. H. Collings, M.B.E., Officer Commanding.

Parades—During the period of provisional school, the unit will parade at unit headquarters, Signal Hill, Esquimalt, at 19:30 hours, on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays, commencing Monday, January 30, 1939.

H. COLLINGS (Capt.),
Officer Commanding.

CANADIAN CORPS OF COMMISSIONAIRES

Victoria and (V.I.) Company

Orders by Commander C. T. Beard, R.C.N., Commandant.

Orderly staff sergeant for the month ending February 3, Staff Sergt. Derbyshire; next for duty, Staff Sergt. Marchant. Orderly commissionaire, Commissionaire Perry; next for duty, Commissionaire Milne.

Parade—The company will parade on Sunday, January 29, 1939, at headquarters. Time, 14:00 hours. Dress, uniform, medals and gloves.

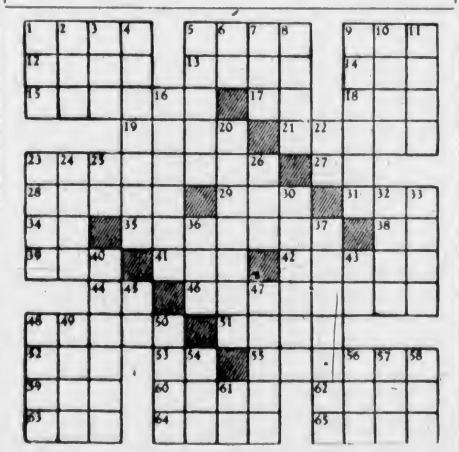
Funeral of the late Col. H. H. B. Cunningham, will take place at Christ Church Cathedral at 14:30 hours, Sunday (today). Interment at Esquimalt Cemetery.

C. T. BEARD, R.C.N.
Corps Commander, Commandant.

Seven Brothers in Home

Among the Boys at the Dr. Barnardo Home at Woodford Bridge, England, Are These Seven Brothers, Aged From Four to Fifteen, Including a Set of Twins.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

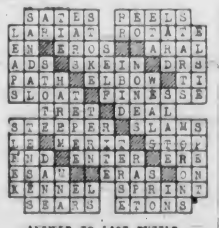


ACROSS

1. Flavor.
5. South African Dutch
9. Kind of fish.
12. Sandarac tree.
13. Hodge podge.
14. Climbing plant
15. Set sail.
17. Behold.
18. A number.
19. Requirement.
21. Watered silk
23. Made callous.
27. Pronoun.
28. A spirit of the air.
29. Snake-like fish.
31. Pouch.
34. Egyptian sun god.
35. Fish with eel-like body
38. Tantalum (sym.).
39. To attempt.
41. Fish eggs.
42. Genus of palms (pl.)
44. For example.
46. Having a long nose.
48. Distributed.
51. Sea near Philippines.
52. Lubricant.
53. Belonging to.
55. Jewish civil law.
59. Standing room only (abbr.).
60. Prevaricator.
62. Opera.
63. Stitch.
64. Irish Gaelic.
65. Chess piece

DOWN

1. One (Scotch).
2. Prepare for war
3. To seize
4. Nobleman.
5. Remembrance.
6. Mulberry.
7. To be sick
8. Machine for weaving
9. Municipalities.
10. Clear.
11. Unit of force
16. Winder.
20. Makes darker
22. Hindu ejaculation.
23. Deer.
24. Sandarac
25. State (abbr.).
26. God (Lat.)
30. Moon on fingernails.
32. Mendanoan Indonesians
33. Money.
36. Those (Sp.).
37. Concerning a title.
40. Color.
43. Greek letter.
45. Earth goddess
47. Near the edge
48. A place of sleep
49. Ireland.
50. Charity.
54. Kind of tree.
56. Mine (Sp.)
57. Japanese herb
58. Dakota (abbr.)
61. White.



ANSWER TO LAST PUZZLE

CHURCH MAKES FINE PROGRESS

Excellent Stewardship Rendered by Officials at First United, Reports Show

Rev. Hugh McLeod, presiding over the seventy-seventh annual congregational meeting on Friday evening, congratulated the members and officials upon their achievements in a year of progress. Pointing to the continued threats from paganism, Mr. McLeod urged the need for an aggressive Christianity.

Selecting four points to indicate the present strength of the congregation and to indicate the excellent stewardship rendered by officials, W. T. Straith, M.P.P., chairman of the board of managers, referred to the growing membership, which in 1938 rose above 1,600; to the low organ indebtedness of $4,000, which represented the only liability against fixed assets of $105,600; to the large contributions made by the congregation towards missionary enterprise, which in gross amount exceeded $8,000, and to the stable revenue position reported by W. C. Hudson, treasurer.

MANAGERS CHOSEN

Paying a tribute to the services rendered by the retiring managers, S. J. Drake, H. W. Henderson and J. Schroeder, the congregation elected three new managers, Mrs. E. S. Farr, Bob Whyte and Professor R. Wallace, to fill vacancies on the board. W. C. Hudson, W. R. Menzies, Logan Mayhew, R. Matthews and J. W. Gibson accepted re-election.

All sections of the Women's Missionary Society reported a year of activity. A new group, the Annie Wilson Auxiliary, named in honor of Mrs. W. G. Wilson, reported for the first time. Mrs. A. S. Christie, president of the Women's Association Executive Council, referred to reorganization plans which were expected to stimulate wider interest in the Women's Association, and paid a tribute to Mrs. Hugh McLeod.

After hearing an able report of the growing work and progress of the Sunday school, given by the superintendent, Professor E. S. Farr during July and August were highly commended.

W. T. Straith occupied the chair and Fred Adams acted as secretary.

CONDUCT MOCK RAID

LONDON, Jan. 28 (CP) — Three Royal Air Force planes, their machine guns spitting dummy bullets and their bomb racks loosing tons of imaginary explosives, "destroyed" Sandringham House today before the eyes of the Royal Family. More than 200 members of the staff and workers on the Royal estate donned gas masks for the one-hour mock raid and dashed for concrete dugouts when it came.

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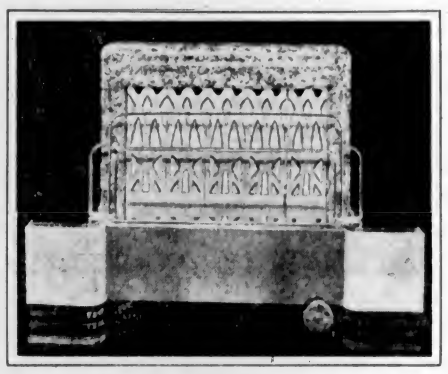

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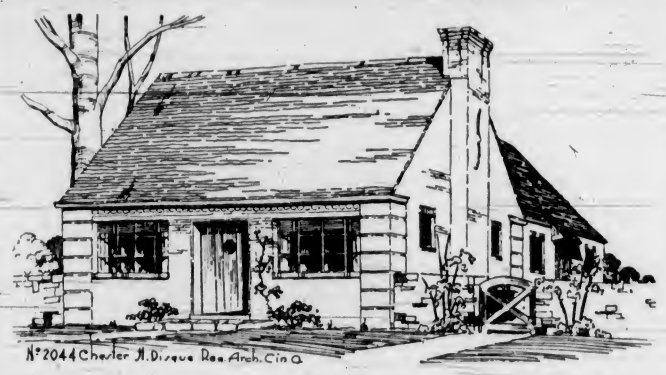


BRICK QUOINS DECORATIVE FEATURE

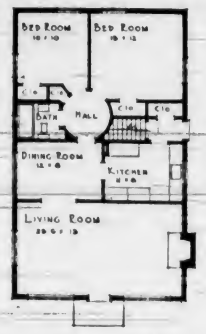
Brick quoins, indicative of strength and sturdy construction, are used as a decorative feature of this little modern cottage. It has all the beauty and quaintness of its foreign relations, together with all the improvements and modern conveniences to be found in the modern home of today.

All the exterior walls should be of common brick or brick that has the appearance of being hand made, using a darker shade of the same brick for all the "headers." The brick work should extend up into the gables for their full length.

All windows should be of steel casement type, and the decorative feature should not be omitted from the windows that occur in the principal elevations of the house. All windows should be painted a rich brown and the main entrance door and all shutters should have an alluring shade of green.

The wood shingle roof would look its best if a rather dark shade was used, such as a grey-green or blue-green. All sheet metal work, such as gutters and downspouts, would be best in a copper color.

The interior should be carried in as true modern fashion as the pocketbook will permit, using wallpaper, wide oak flooring, white or French blue woodwork, glass lighting fixtures, wood mantel, etc.



HOUSING ACT FOR MAN OF SMALL MEANS

N.H.A. Makes It Possible for Average Wage Earner to Own His Own Home

There is every indication that 1939 will be a banner year in the building and allied trades, according to authoratative sources in Victoria. The major contributing factor is the increasing utilization of the National Housing Act.

Practically every householder plans for a home of his own. Few are content to continue renting indefinitely. Until the advent of the N.H.A., the stumbling block for the average wage earner has been the accumulation of sufficient capital, while incessant payment of rent formed a drain on a closely watched budget. Now it is only necessary to find twenty per cent of the total value of the completed property, to be put up in the form of a building lot, cash or both combined. Once this is achieved building can start immediately and on completion the owner can move in with monthly payments amounting to a nominal rent caring for the interest and retirement of the loan over a period of twenty years.

When the act was first introduced, there were various rough spots which prejudiced many against it, particularly those living in the Western provinces. Regulations and restrictions were drawn up to meet conditions in Eastern Canada. These have since been modified and changed to such an extent that now British Columbia ranks third in the Dominion in the total number of loans taken out, regardless of population and an increasing number are under consideration. The act has passed its initial stages of introduction and is in good working form. It has made tremendous strides toward the fundamental objective, that of bettering housing conditions throughout Canada.

SIMPLE REGULATIONS

The regulations which govern the operation of the act and the granting of the loan are simply laid down with the aim of setting a standard of construction which will protect the owner's growing equity.

The applicant for a loan under the N.H.A. may build to his own design and is given free choice of

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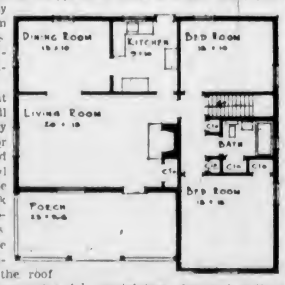
In case any of the above materials are used separately or in combination, the roof would help to tie the whole composition together if its color were either a dark green, dark grey or black. Also in case of the above materials, the wood shutters and the front door should be a Colonial blue-green.

The interior is also in keeping with the true Colonial feelings, as we find the wide ash plank flooring, low ceilings, moulded woodwork painted white or cream color. Colonial mantelpiece, diamond pattern wallpaper, brass lighting fixtures, paneled doors, etc.

The basement extends under the entire house and there is ample room for the usual utility features, garage and recreational room.



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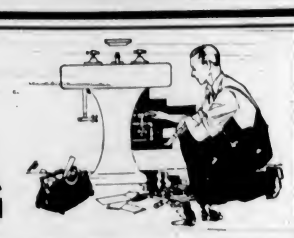

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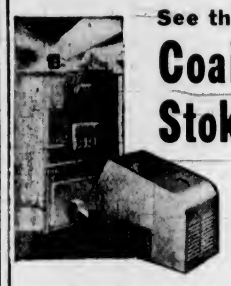

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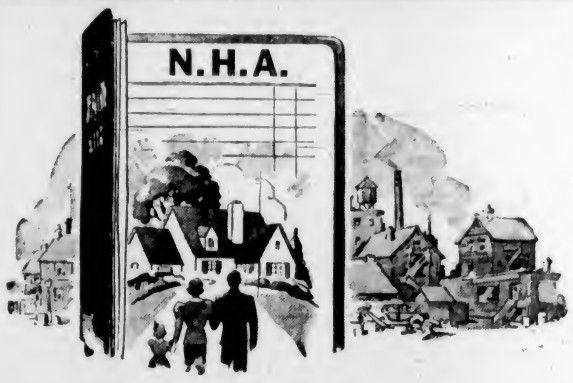

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MARINE, RAIL and AIR

HAIR SEALS RAID RIVER

Fraser Fishermen Kept Busy Watching Nets Set for Salmon

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 28.—Fishermen on the Fraser River are now waging their annual battle against hair seals. While the catch now is small, mostly steelhead, the fishermen have to race for every fish caught in the net in order to beat the seals.

Seals are picketing practically every net in the river. Instead of waiting in their gasboats, fishermen now spend all day in their dinghies close to the nets, ready to pull off the fish as soon as a bobbing cork indicates a catch.

Hair seals, worthless commercially, are classed as vermin by the Department of Fisheries and there is a bounty of $2.50 for every nose turned in. Last year bounties were paid here on 147 seals. Some fishermen have permits for shotguns and this month are blazing away at the seals whenever they get a chance. Few "trophies" have been gathered, as it is not easy to make a kill with a shotgun. However, the lurking seals are frightened away for a time.

A few years ago an effort was made to exterminate the seals, but with unsatisfactory results. Rookeries of fresh-water seals are said to exist on Pitt Lake, but these have not been located.

RAIDING RIVERS

Local fishermen believe there are more seals this year. This is due to the fact that with fewer salmon now running, the seals have come in from the gulf to raid river waters. Old-time fishermen say that efforts should be revived to trace and exterminate the hair seals.

According to the fishermen, the seals, weighing up to 400 pounds, lie in wait near the nets and lunge forward as soon as a fish is caught. They brace themselves against the mesh with their flippers and yank out the fish. Fishermen have seen the seals skin the fish and take a bite out of the throat with lightning movement. One bite is usually all the seals take.

DESTROYER IN MINOR MISHAP

H.M.C.S. Ottawa Dents Bow Plates Nosing Into Pier

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 28 (CP).—The Canadian destroyer Ottawa suffered a minor mishap today as she entered Los Angeles Harbor en route to manoeuvres in the West Indies.

A brisk wind nosed the ship into the end of Pier 1 in the Outer Harbor. Three plates on the starboard bow were dented.

Accompanying the Ottawa at the time of the mishap were the destroyers Restigouche, Fraser and St. Laurent. They made port shortly before noon. They will remain here four days before sailing for the British West Indies via the Panama Canal to join two destroyers of the Canadian Atlantic fleet and four cruisers of the British West Indies squadron in manoeuvres in West Indian waters.

British Consular officers and United States army and navy representatives came to the harbor and welcomed the fleet's arrival here.

According to advices received in Victoria yesterday, the denting of the bow plates will not interfere with the itinerary of the destroyers. The ships will not be delayed in any way.

China Clipper Mails

The next trip of the China clipper carrying mails will be from San Francisco on February 4. Postmaster G. H. Gardiner has been advised. Mail will close at Victoria at 1:10 p.m. on February 3.

Little Fishing Craft Fly the Blue Ensign

THE entire fleet of forty-two boats accepted for service in the recently formed Canadian Fishermen's Reserve should be in Esquimalt Harbor before dusk today. The Prince Rupert boats and their crews are all here ready to commence training tomorrow.—The fleet of forty-two fishing vessels will be under the direction of Lieut.-Commander Colin D. Donald, R.C.N., who will be aboard H.M.C. Ms. Skidegate. Top picture shows four of the Prince Rupert boats at the newly-built fishermen's wharf in the Inner Harbor, while the lower one shows the after end of the Finella with the Blue Ensign flying, denoting the ship is in the service of the Government of Canada.

MAIL AND SHIPS

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Overcast, southeast, light; 29.64, 42, heavy swell.
LENNARD ISLAND—Raining, southeast, strong, 29.60, rough.
PACHENA—Overcast; south, light, 29.67, 41, medium swell.
CARMANAH—Raining, east, light, 29.75, moderate swell.
CAPE BEALE—Raining; southeast, moderate, 29.65, choppy.

WIRELESS REPORT

LANGLEETARN—Bound Melbourne, from Vancouver, passed Cape Flattery at 9 a.m.

WHEN MAILS CLOSE

BRITISH MAILS

1:10 p.m., January 30, Montrose air mail closes 1:10 p.m. February 1. 1:10 p.m. January 31, Aurania air mail closes 1:10 p.m., February 2. 1:10 p.m. February 1, Aquitania air mail closes 1:10 p.m., February 3. 4 p.m. February 2, Manhattan via New York air mail closes 1:10 p.m. February 4. 4 p.m., February 4, Queen Mary via New York air mail closes 1:10 p.m., February 8. 1:10 p.m. February 6, Duchess of Richmond air mail closes 1:10 p.m., February 8.

ATLIN AND YUKON

4 p.m., February 2, via Seattle. 1:10 p.m., February 7, 17, via Vancouver.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

4 p.m., February 15, Niagara. 11:15 p.m., February 25, Mariposa via San Francisco.

CHINA AND JAPAN

4 p.m., February 18, Empress of Japan. 11:15 p.m., Ixion. 4 p.m., March 4, Empress of Asia.

HONOLULU MAILS

11:15 p.m., January 28, 29, 30, February 4, 7, 11. 4 p.m., February 15, Niagara.

JAMAICA

1:10 p.m., February 3, 5.

WEST INDIES

1:10 p.m., February 3.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

1:10 p.m., February 3, 8, 17, 22, March 3, 8, 17, 22.

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria for Vancouver daily at 1:30 p.m. Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive at Victoria daily from Vancouver at 3:15 p.m. Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 12 midnight. Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive at Victoria from Vancouver daily at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Katherine or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria for Seattle daily at 4.30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 1.15 p.m.; Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9.15 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria from Seattle daily at 3.35 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES - Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 9.15 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8.25 a.m.

SALTSPRING ISLAND — Ms. Cy Peck leaves Swartz Bay daily except Wednesday for Fulford Harbor at 9.30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; Ms. Cy Peck leaves Fulford Harbor daily except Wednesday for Swartz Bay at 8.15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10.30 a.m. Tuesdays for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 6.30 p.m. Mondays.

WEST COAST—Ss. Princess Maquinna leaves Victoria on the 1st, 11th and 21st of every month for Port Alice and way ports on the West Coast of Vancouver Island.

NANAIMO - VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily, except Saturday and Sunday, for Vancouver, at 7.45 a.m. and 3.30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo, from Vancouver, at 1.15 p.m. and 8.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo, for Vancouver, on Saturday only, at 7.45 a.m., 3.30 p.m. and 9.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo, from Vancouver, on Saturday only, at 1.15 p.m. and 8.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo, for Vancouver, on Sunday only, at 5.45 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo, from Vancouver, on Sunday only, at 1:15 p.m. and 11:15 p.m.

INTEREST RATES ACT AS BALANCE

President of Confederation Life Association Says Cheap Money Harmful to Business

TORONTO, Jan. 28.—The "cheap money" policy of all governments of today is just as serious and dangerous to the welfare of Canada as a policy of dear money, C. S. Macdonald, president, told the sixty-seventh annual meeting of the Confederation Life Association, founded by his father in 1871.

"Life insurance companies, as trustees for their policyholders, are in duty bound to warn governments of the breakers and reefs to which they are steering. Interest rates act as a balance wheel, or governor on our national economic machinery. They either adjust the machine by operation of the law of supply and demand, or the machine explodes. It is as dangerous to the well-being of our citizens to allow interest rates to fall too low, as to soar too high. If the rent on money ever falls to a level at which there is no advantage in thrift, our advance to prosperity will be hopelessly retarded," urged Mr. Macdonald.

CANADIAN INVESTMENTS

Pointing out that life insurance companies, on behalf of the owners of 3,500,000 life insurance policies, had two billions invested in Canada, he said that Governmental insistence on "cheap money" penalized these policyholders. Their contracts were based on rates of interest which had been calculated to guarantee prompt payment of all obligations. Low interest rates affected the face value of their loans, the rental return on their savings, and, if long continued, must affect materially the cost of their insurance.

Canada's "cheap money" policy was out of line with that of Great Britain and could not long continue, Mr. Macdonald warned.

STATEMENT SHOWS COMPANY ADVANCE

Report of Directors of Manufacturers Life Insurance Company Presented at Annual Meeting

The directors of the Manufacturers Life Insurance Company report increases in business in force, income and assets at the fifty-second annual meeting.

Although the disturbed conditions during the year were reflected by the fact that the new business, including deferred annuities, of $57,610,739 was 4½ per cent less than that of the previous year, the business in force increased by $16,377,174 to $572,912,435. Total income was $34,709,738, an increase of $2,554,282 over the corresponding figure for 1937. Payments to policyholders and beneficiaries totaled $14,958,301, of which amount $10,426,791 was paid to living policyholders and $4,531,510 to beneficiaries under death claims.

The assets increased by $12,432,461 during the year and amount to $167,371,396. The gross rate of interest earned was 4.58 per cent. After making provision for all liabilities, including policy and annuity reserves of $141,226,011, an amount of $838,885 was added to the contingency reserve and surplus, bringing the contingency reserve to $2,400,000 and the surplus to $4,281,814.

BUSHONG, Kas., Jan. 28 (AP).—They threw elbow grease on the old town pump and it came back gasoline. Three men needing water for their car radiators resorted to the little-used pump. Gasoline flowed. A crowd gathered; filled car tanks, barrels and buckets. Investigation disclosed a nearby filling station's underground tank had leaked into the well.

How to Overcome Piles And Rectal Soreness

If you are annoyed with itching piles or rectal soreness, do not neglect the same or run the risk of an operation. Any itching soreness or painful passage of stool is nature's warning and proper treatment should be sought at once. For this purpose get from MacParlane and Vancouver Drug Stores, or any druggist, a package of Hemroid and use as directed. This formula which is used internally quickly relieves the itching and soreness and aids in healing the sore, tender spots. Hemroid is a physician's prescription and is highly recommended. It is easy to use and it seems the height of folly for anyone to risk an operation when a simple remedy which is inexpensive to use may be had at a reasonable cost. Adv.

BRINGING IN LARGE CARGO

Royal Mail Line's Ms. Lochmonar Will Be Here Next Friday

Coming in from United Kingdom ports by way of Panama, Central America and California, the Royal Mail Line's Ms. Lochmonar, Captain A. Watts, will be here on Friday next, according to Adam P. Moffat & Partners, agents for the line. The Lochmonar was scheduled for arrival on Wednesday next.

The combined freight and passenger liner will dock at Ogden Point Piers and has a large load of general cargo for discharge here, including fruit and vegetables from southern ports. While here the Lochmonar will load frozen salmon for destinations in the British Isles. Leaving Victoria, the ship will call at James Island, where she will discharge 260 tons of freight for Canadian Explosives.

LATE COMING HERE

Posted to arrive here on February 2, it will be Monday, February 6, before the Blue Funnel Line Ss. Ixion docks at Victoria, according to information furnished by Robert Cumberbirch, of Rithet Consolidated, agents for the line. The Ixion will berth at Rithet Piers, where she will discharge 100 tons of general cargo for local consignees. There are thirty-two Oriental passengers aboard the liner for British Columbia and twenty-three for Seattle.

KINGSWOOD ARRIVES

Ss. Kingswood, of the Constantine Line, arrived at Ogden Point Piers overnight Friday, and yesterday was loading lumber cargo for the British Isles.

ANCHORED IN ROADS

On her way to sea Friday night, the freighter Stonepool put into Royal Roads and anchored for the purpose of putting additional lashings on her deckload of lumber. The Stonepool is bound for Australia.

SAILINGS ANNOUNCED

Announcement of the first eastbound and westbound sailings this season in the Vancouver-St. Lawrence Line service was made yesterday by Canadian Transport Company, operators of the line. Scheduled to load for the East Coast of Canada, the chartered Ss. Tower Field is slated to arrive in these waters February 9. She will load at various British Columbia ports for delivery at Saint John, and is expected to sail finally on February 21. First westbound vessel in this service is the British Ms. Aldington Court, the closing date for cargo at Halifax being March 4.

WHIP GUT WANTED

Manufacturers of tennis, badminton and squash racquets and whips in the South Midlands area of England are comparatively large users of both animal and synthetic gut. Animal gut varies considerably in quantity but, generally speaking, it is much more resilient than the synthetic product and is in demand wherever a high class string is required. Inquiries have been received by the Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa, for whip gut of the cheaper quality from Canada.

Rainbow Sea Cadets

Orders by Lieutenant-Commander P. W. Tribe.

Parades for week ending February 4—Tuesday, January 31, corps will parade at Drill Hall for instruction as per syllabus; Friday, February 3, corps will parade at Drill Hall for instruction as per syllabus.

Appointments—Cadet A. Andrews is appointed A.S.L., effective January 27.

Strength decrease—The following has been struck off strength at his own request, effective January 27, Cadet Galloway.

Leave — The following has been granted sick leave, effective January 27, Cadet T. Saunders.

Duties for the week: Officer of the watch, W.O.H. Clarke; duty watch, Red Division; duty bugler, Cadet D. Filewood; duty quartermaster, L.S.S. Hawkes.

W. H. H. SMITH (Lieut.),
Sea Cadet Corps.

ACT IS FOR MAN OF SMALL MEANS

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a builder. He may select his own location, provided it is within the areas in which the N.H.A. has jurisdiction, which incidentally have recently been materially extended. The specifications called for are obvious and designed to prevent rapid deterioration through poor structural quality. In this way National Housing Act homes will enjoy a high resale value. Periodic inspection during the course of building assures the owner that he is safeguarded in this respect.

Prospective borrowers are warned that application for a N.H.A. loan must be made prior to the start of construction. If work is commenced before the final written approval is received, the borrower does so at his own risk. The act, however, functions smoothly and there is little or no delay in completion of the papers. Consequently this is a contingency which seldom arises.

VANCOUVER SHIPPING

VANCOUVER, Jan. 28 (CP).—The Westfal-Larsen Line's freighter Herdanger will go into drydock here for minor repairs, it was learned today. The vessel arrived in Vancouver last night to Empire Shipping Company with about 250 tons of South American cargo.

The motorship Lauritz Swenson, of the Fred Olson Line, docked here today from Europe. A twenty-two-year-old member of her crew was killed when struck by an automobile while the ship was docked in San Pedro, Calif., last week.

The French Line's freighter Wisconsin was unloading sand, gravel and galvanized sheets at Ballantyne Pier here today. The vessel carried a large consignment of valuable paintings and murals for the French pavilion at the San Francisco World's Fair on her outward trip from Europe. They were shipped from Havre, Antwerp and Rotterdam.

The steamship Cairnvalona arrived here today to Furness Pacific, Ltd., from Europe under command of Captain W. J. Thompson.

HOLD WEEKLY SHOOT

The Rainbow Rifle Club held its weekly shoot yesterday afternoon at the Drill Hall. Results out of a possible 100 were as follows: "A" Class, N. Anderson, 100; W. Acland, 99; R. Ferguson, 98; R. Saturley, 98; P. Mackenzie, 96; H. Clarke, 93; H. Davies, 94; J. Leiper, 93; F. Greensmith, 87. "B" Class, Miss B. Stonham, 97; Miss S. Jones, 94. "C" Class, Miss A. Wood, 96; F. E. Balson, 95; Miss R. Rayment, 93; V. Rawson, 93; A. Carter, 92; Miss J. McAnerin, 87; Mrs. M. Bates, 84; B. Anderson, 79.

FIRE DESTROYS SHOP

GIBBONS, Alta., Jan. 28 (CP).—Loss estimated at $10,000 was caused when fire of unknown origin wiped out a butcher shop and implement store, owned by Knott Brothers, and the blacksmith shop of A. Lebilick, early today. Gibbons is twenty-two miles northeast of Edmonton.

ALL ARE SAFE IN KINGSTOWN

Passengers and Crew of Sunken Schooner Suffered From Exposure

KINGSTON, St. Vincent, Jan. 28 (CP).—The captain, crew and passengers of the schooner Edward VII, which sank at sea Wednesday noon, were safe here today. The fourteen persons aboard her escaped in two rowboats and docked here safely.

The two boats became separated during Wednesday night and the seven in each boat thought those in the other had been lost. They were weak and tired, suffering exposure, but all were expected to recover.

Four members of the crew and three passengers were picked up by a sailing boat from Bequia Island and brought to Kingstown. The captain and six members of the crew arrived a few hours later on the leeward side of the island.

The Edward VII left Barbados Tuesday night for British Guiana and foundered the next day.

SUNK IN COLLISION

OAKLAND, Cal., Jan. 28 (AP).—The Western Pacific Company tug Virgil Bogue was sunk in Oakland estuary early this morning in a collision with the steamship Point Lobos. All crew members of the tug were reported to have been rescued.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are advised that on or about February 4, 1939, a diaphone fog alarm will be established at East Point, Saturna Island, Strait of Georgia, B.C.

The characteristic of the alarm will be two and one-half seconds' blast; silence, three seconds; two and one-half blast; silence, fifty-two seconds.

The acetylene fog gun formerly maintained will be discontinued.

A. W. R. WILBY,
Agent, Department of Transport.

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY

LOW FARE EXCURSIONS EASTERN CANADA

For All Classes of Travel
February 18 to March 4, 1939

A bargain sale in rail travel. East on the air-conditioned Empire Builder—safety, comfort, speed and scenery. Standard Pullmans . . . Tourist Sleepers . . . Luxury Coaches . . . Low cost meals in dining car. Leave Seattle 10:15 p.m., through to Chicago, making direct connections to Eastern Canada.

EXAMPLES OF FARES [Subject to change]:

ROUND TRIPS TO	Coach	*Tourist	Standard
TORONTO	$63.50	$77.50	$91.45
MONTREAL	64.30	78.45	92.60
QUEBEC	67.95	83.00	97.95
ST. JOHN, N. B.	75.10	91.70	108.25

*Tourist tickets will be honored in coaches only east of Chicago or Sault Ste. Marie. Similarly reduced fares to other Eastern Canada points.

Final return limit 45 days. Stopovers allowed at, and east of Fargo, N. D.

Low Winter Fares Also in Effect to All Points in the United States

Full Particulars at City Ticket Office: 916 Government Street, Empire 9823

WARM! COMFORTABLE! SAFE!

No matter how cold or blustery it may be outside, when you board one of the Island Clippers now operating between Victoria and Nanaimo, it is like stepping into a warm, cheerful room.

Fresh outside air is warmed by powerful hot-water heaters before it is circulated through the coach, maintaining an even, comfortable temperature.

Experienced drivers, who are thoroughly familiar with the highways under all conditions of weather and surface; safety-built equipment controlled by heavy-duty air brakes; these contribute to your safety while traveling by bus.

CLIPPERS NOW OPERATING ON THREE ROUND TRIPS DAILY BETWEEN VICTORIA AND NANAIMO

Lv. Victoria	9:15 a.m.	1:30 p.m.	6:30 p.m.	NORTH BOUND
Lv. Duncan	11:15 a.m.	3:25 p.m.	8:20 p.m.	NORTH BOUND
Ar. Nanaimo	12:35 p.m.	4:45 p.m.	9:45 p.m.	NORTH BOUND
Lv. Nanaimo	8:00 a.m.	1:40 p.m.	8:30 p.m.	SOUTH BOUND
Lv. Duncan	9:45 a.m.	3:10 p.m.	10:00 p.m.	SOUTH BOUND
Ar. Victoria	11:20 a.m.	4:50 p.m.	11:35 p.m.	SOUTH BOUND

Vancouver Island Coach Lines Ltd.

E 1177 Depot: Broughton Street at Broad E 1178

COLDS RAW THROAT

(Follow Simple Directions in These Pictures)

1. First take 2 "Aspirin" Tablets in a glass of water, to relieve that aching soreness that usually comes with your colds.
2. Then dissolve 3 "Aspirin" Tablets in ½ glass of water and gargle to relieve scratchy feeling in throat due to a cold.
3. If temperature does not go down—if throat pains and aches are not quickly relieved—call your family doctor.

You Just Follow Simple Method Shown In These Pictures

TAKE A MINUTE to look at the pictures above. They may save you hours of discomfort next time you have a cold or the raw, scratchy sore throat that comes with so many colds.

For these pictures explain the simple way—with "Aspirin"—to get quick relief from your pain discomfort. A way countless thousands will tell you is amazingly fast and effective.

Try it. Then—because ANY cold can lead to serious consequences—pneumonia or influenza, for instance—SEE YOUR DOCTOR. He will tell you whether your cold is serious, and what treatment to follow.

In all probability, he will tell you to continue with "Aspirin" because it acts to relieve the painful discomforts of a cold with remarkable speed. And because it acts to reduce fever. This simple treatment has largely supplanted the use of strong medicines in the treatment of cold symptoms. Perhaps the simplest and most effective way yet discovered.

"Aspirin" Tablets are made in Canada by the Bayer Company Limited, Windsor, Ontario.

PAINS—Fast-acting "Aspirin" Tablets are used by millions on doctors' advice for prompt relief of Headache—pain from Rheumatism, Neuritis, Neuralgia

DEMAND AND GET "ASPIRIN" TRADE-MARK REG.

SALTSPRING ISLAND FERRY

DAILY SAILINGS

DAILY — EXCEPT WEDNESDAY

Lv. Fulford Harbor	8:15 a.m.	4:00 p.m.
Lv. Swartz Bay	9:30 a.m.	5:00 p.m.

Fares

Automobiles (including driver)	75c to $1.50
Passengers	25c
Trucks (including driver)	$1.25 to $2.00
Motorcycles (including driver)	50c

For Further Information and Motor Coach Connections: Phone E 1177 - E 1178

GULF ISLANDS FERRY CO. LIMITED

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Stock and Bond Prices Easier at New York Mart

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—Rallying fuel ran out of the stock market today and leading issues backed down fractions to a point or more.

Spots news of a stimulating nature was lacking in the brief proceedings. Many traders apparently decided to cash in and await the barrage of speeches to be made in the next few days by the heads of the large European governments. It was generally felt that the tone of these addresses, whether warlike or peaceful, coming in the wake of the insurgent triumphs in Spain, might touch off a pronounced move either way in the markets.

The result of the day's hesitancy was that the Associated Press average of sixty stocks lost .2 of a point at 48.1. On the week this composite was off 2.8 points, the biggest drop for any similar period since the week ended November 19. It was the fourth consecutive weekly decline.

The two-hour turnover amounted to 582,530 shares, compared with 657,380 last Saturday. The week's volume was around 7,000,000 shares against some 4,000,000 the week before.

Prominent on the day's set-back were U.S. Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, U.S. Rubber, Sears Roebuck, United Aircraft, Sperry, American Telephone, Westinghouse, Du Pont, Great Northern and Standard Oil of N.J.

Gains of minor fractions to 1 point or so were recorded in some sections of the bond market today. Moderate recovery was the keynote of the session.

Up slightly were the more active issues in the domestic section, including United States Government obligations.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Thirty industrials, 138.79, off 0.11.
Twenty Rails, 28.49, off 0.07.
Fifteen utilities, 22.99, off 0.04.
Forty bonds, 89.35, off 0.04.

(By H. A. Humber, Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Air Reduction	65 4		55-4
Allied Chemicals	173		173
Allis Chalmers	41 4	40-5	40-5
American Can	93	92	93
American Celanese	19 6	16-1	19-1
American For Power	3		3
American L. & Z.	5 7		5-7
American Locomotive	23-3	32 3	22-2
American P. & L.	5 6	5 5	5 4
American Radiator	15 2	14 9	14 6
American Rolling Mills	17 1		17-1
American Smelter	43 4	42 4	42 7
American Tel. & Tel.	151 4	150-6	150-6
American Tobacco	94 6	94 2	94 6
American Waterworks	12 4	12	12
Anaconda Copper	28 1	27 2	37-2
Atchison Railway	34 4	33 9	34
Atlantic Refining	21 4	21 3	21-4
B. & O. Railway	6 2	6 1	6-1
Baldwin Locomotive	13 9	13 4	13 4
Bendix Aviation	24 6	23 6	24
Beth Steel	83 7	82	82
Boeing	27 0	26 5	26-5
Borden	16 7	16 5	16 6
Borg Warner	26	25 3	25 3
Briggs	23 7	22 6	32 5
Canada Dry	17 4		17 4
C P R	5	4-7	4 7
Caterpillar Trac.	43		43
Case (J I)	82 4	82	82
Cerro de Pasco	41 2	41	41
C. & O. Railway	33 4	33 2	33 2
Chrysler	70 2	68 5	68 3
Columbia Gas	7 2		7-2
Commercial Credit	48 4	47 9	47 7
Commercial Solvent	12 2	11-4	11 5
Commonwealth & So.	1 9		1 9
Consoleum	35		35
Con. Edison	31 3	30 3	30-6
Cont Can	39 4	39 2	39-4
Con Oil	8 2	8 1	8 2
Cont Oil	27		27
Crown Zellerbach	13		13
Crucible Steel	38	36	36
Curtiss Wright	6 4	6 3	6 4
Curtiss Wright "A"	35 2	34	24
Deere & Co	17 4		17 4
Douglas Aircraft	67 1	66	66
Dupont	144 4	143	143
Eastman Kodak	171		171
El Auto Lite	28 3	27 4	27 4
El. Pow. & Lite	10-4	10 1	10-1
Fairbanks Morse	37	36	36
Freeport Texas	34 4	24 1	24 1
General Foods	37-2	37	37 3
Gen Electric	39 2	38 3	38 3
General Motors	45	43 6	44-1
Goodyear	31	30-3	30 3
Granby Copper	6		5 6
Great Northern	24 3	32 9	22 7
Great West Sugar	24 3		34 3
Houston Oil	6 7		8-7
Hudson Motors	8-9		8 6
Inspiration Copper	13 1	12 7	12 7
Int. Harvester	55-9	55	55 4
Int Nickel	48 4	47 7	48 1
Int. Tel.	6-1	7 7	7 7
Ill Central	15		15
Johns Manville	91	90 4	90-5
Kennecott Copper	36 4	35 2	35 2
Kresge	30 7	20-4	20 6
Lambert Co	14 7		14 7
L. & M. Tobacco	102	101 6	103
Ludlum Steel	21 2	31	31
Loew's	46 4	45	46-2
Mack Truck	23 4	23	23
Matheson Alkali	31		31
Mexican Seaboard	19 5		19 5
Monsanto Chemical	101 4		101 4
Nash Kelvinator	7 6	7 4	7 4
Montgomery Ward	47 7	47 1	47 1
National Biscuit	23 7		33 7
Nat. Dairy	12 6		12 5
National Distilleries	25 3	24 7	25 3
National Pow. & Lite	7 7	7 4	7 4
New York Central	17 3	19 4	16 5
North American Co	24 2	23 5	33 5
North Am. Aviation	18 6	18	18
Northern Pacific	11	10 5	10 5
Ohio Oil	8 7	8 5	8 6
Owens Ill Glass	62	61 1	61 3
Pacific Gas & Elec	29 4	28 4	29 4
Packard	4 1	4	4 1
Paramount Pictures	10 3	10 1	10 1
Penn Railway	20	19 5	19 5
Phillips Pete	39	38 4	38 4
Pullman	33 7	34 3	33 2
Pure Oil	9 1	6	9
Radio	6 7	6 9	6 6
Rem Rand	13 1		13 1
Republic Iron Steel	18 2	18 4	18 4
Reynolds Tob.	41-4	40 1	40 1
Safeway Stores	34 4	33 4	33 4
Schenley	14 2	13 7	13 7
Sears Roebuck	69	67	67
Sharon Steel	16	15 6	16
Shell Union	12 4		12 4
Socony Vacuum	13 5	12 3	12 3
Southern Pacific	15 7	15 4	15 5
Southern Rly.	19	17 7	17-7
Sperry Corp	44-1	42 4	43 9
Standard Brands	6 4		6 4
Standard Gas	3 3		3 3
Standard Oil, Cal.	27 1	37	37-1
Standard Oil, N.J.	50	49 1	49 1
Stewart Warner	10 4	10	10
Superior Oil	3 6		3 6
Studebaker	7		7
Texas Corp.	43-3	43 1	43 1
Texas Gulf	30	39 6	29 9
Timken	44 3		44 2
Trans American	6 5	6 4	6 5
Twentieth Century Fox	21 4	31 2	31 4
Union Carbide	84	83 6	84
Union Pacific	90 4		90 4
United Aircraft	38 4	36-7	37-1
United Airlines	10 2	10	10
United Fruit	64 4	64	64 2
United Gas & Imp.	12 1	11 7	11 7
U.S. Pipe & Foundry	40	39 2	39-2
U.S. Realty	4 4	4-3	4 4
U.S. Rubber	43-1	41-3	41 3
U.S. Rubber, pfd.	95-4	93	93
U.S. Steel	65 6	54-4	54 4
Vanadium	24 2	23 5	33 5
Warner Bros.	5-2	5 1	5 1
Westing. Air Brake	35-4	25 3	25 3
Westinghouse Electric	103	101-2	101-2
Western Union	31 5	31 2	21-3
Woolworth	49	47 3	47 3
Youngstown S. & T.	42 4	41	41
Zenith Radio	17 1	16-5	16-5

New York Curb

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Close
Aluminum Co. of America	112
American Cyanamide "B"	23½
American Gas & Electric	35
American Light & Traction	16
American Republics	7⅛
American Super-Power	0⅝
Ashland Oil	4⅛
Associated Gas & Electric "A"	0⅜
Barium Stainless Steel	1⅛
Bell Aircraft	12⅞
Blueridge	1⅛
Brewster Aero.	11¼
Canadian Marconi	1
Carrier Corpn	16¼
Catalin Corpn.	3
Cities Service	6⅛
Bath Ironworks	6⅛
Consolidated Copper	6⅛
Creole Petroleum	21⅛
Crocker Wheeler	6⅛
Dayton Rubber	14
Eagle Pitcher Lead	10⅛
Electric Bond & Share	10⅛
Esquire Coronet	7⅛
Fisk Rubber	9⅛
Glen Alden Coal	4⅛
Gulf Oil	38
Hecla Mining	7⅛
Humble Oil	66
Intl. Petroleum	25¼
Jones & Laughlin Steel	37¼
Lakeshore Mines	48
Lockheed Aircraft	38½
Marion Steam Shovel	3⅛
Newmont Mining	70¼
Niagara-Hudson Power	6
Pantapec Oil	5⅛
Pioneer Gold	2⅛
Pittsburgh Plate Glass	100½
St. Regis Paper	3⅛
Seversky Aircraft	4⅛
Standard Oil of Ohio	19⅛
Standard Power & Light	0⅜
Technicolor	19
United Gas Company	2⅛
United Wallpaper	3⅛

MONTREAL STOCK PRICES EASIER

MONTREAL, Jan. 28 (CP).—Prices were shaved in late trading on the Montreal Stock Exchange today.

With the exception of a point loss for St. Lawrence Paper preferred, newsprints were unchanged to fractionally higher.

Utilities were irregular. Brazilian gained the minimum fraction to 7⅛ and Shawinigan eased the same amount to 20⅛.

Rails generally were higher, with Canadian Car & Foundry and Canadian Pacific Railway ahead ⅛ each.

In the curb section, Home Oil spurted to 2.36 in early trading but ended 5 cents down at 2.20.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS

(James Richardson & Sons, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Bathurst Paper	6⅛	7
Building Products	15	15⅛
Canadian Northern Power	15	16
Canadian Steamships	3⅛	2⅛
Canadian Steamships, Pfd.	7⅛	6⅛
Can. Car & Foundry	14	14
Can. Car & Foundry, Pfd.	30¼	31
Canadian Celanese, Pfd.		102
Canadian Converters	7	10
Canadian Alcohol "A"	2	
Cockshutt Plow	6⅛	
Consolidated Smelters	50	50½
Crown Cork	22½	24
Dominion Bridge	30⅛	31
Dominion Coal, Pfd.	15⅛	19
Dominion Tar	5⅛	5½
Dominion Tar, Pfd.		77
Dominion Textiles	56	57
Gatineau Power, Pfd.	88	90
Hamilton Bridge	5	5⅛
Hollinger	13⅛	14
Howard Smith	10⅛	10½
Howard Smith, Pfd.		65
Hudson Bay M. & S.	31¼	32
International Nickel	48	48
International Petroleum	25	25⅛
Lake of the Woods	14	15
Massey Harris	5⅛	5⅛
Montreal Cottons, Pfd.	67	101
Montreal Power	29⅛	29⅛
National Breweries	40	41
National Steel Car	51	51⅛
Noranda	73⅛	73⅛
Ogilvies	26	28
Ottawa Power		7⅛
Penmans	41	44
Power Corporation	10⅛	10
Price Brothers	13⅛	14
Price Brothers, Pfd.		50
Rolland Paper	9	9⅛
St. Lawrence Corpn., Pfd.	11⅛	11⅛
St. Lawrence Paper, Pfd.	33	33⅛
Sherwin-Williams	12⅛	
Steel of Canada	70	71
Steel of Canada, Pfd.	88	
United Steel	4⅛	4⅛
Curb		
Abitibi	3	2⅛
Abitibi, Pfd.	13⅛	14
Asbestos	61	92
Bathurst "B"	2⅛	3
Brewers & Distillers	4	5
Canadian Sugar	38⅛	28⅛
Canadian Malting	32⅛	32⅛
Canadian Vinegars		14
Canadian Breweries	130	150
Canadian Breweries, Pfd.	19⅛	20⅛
Canadian Vickers	7⅛	
Commercial Alcohol	155	160
Consolidated Paper	4⅛	5
Cub Aircraft	2	2
Dominion Stores	4⅛	5
Donnaconna "A"	4⅛	4
Fairchild	4⅛	4
Fleet Aircraft	8⅛	8
Fraser Company	11⅛	12
International Paint	2⅛	3
International Paint, Pfd.	12	13
Massey-Harris, Pfd.	42	
McColl Frontenac, Pfd.		85
Page Hersey		108⅛
Royalite Oil	30⅛	38
Hiram Walker	43	44
Hiram Walker, Pfd.	19⅛	20
Banks		
Bank of Commerce	171	172
Bank of Montreal	208	210
Banque du Nationale	163	169

Bond Quotations

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4s, 1954	54.50	56.50
Alberta 5s, 1955	61.00	62.00
British Columbia 4s, 1957	93.50	94.50
British Columbia 4½s, 1953	98.00	99.25
British Columbia 5s, 1954	101.35	102.35
Manitoba 4s, 1960	79.50	81.50
Manitoba 5s, 1958	87.00	89.00
New Brunswick 4s, 1961	105.50	107.00
Nova Scotia 3s, 1958	95.625	96.50
Ontario 3s, 1951	99.00	99.75
Quebec 3s, 1951	96.75	97.50
Saskatchewan 4s, 1951	78.50	
Saskatchewan 5s, 1953	73.00	75.00
Saskatchewan 5s, 1952	77.00	79.00

(Toronto Wholesale Prices)

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—Quotations in cents:

Canada—Montreal in New York, 99.31¼. New York in Montreal, 100.68¾.

Belgium—16.81.
Czecho-Slovakia—3.43.
Denmark—20.88.
Finland—3.09.
France—2.64¼.
Germany—40.15; travel, 30.63.
Greece—.86½.
Hungary—19.65.
Italy—5.26¼.
Yugoslavia—2.34.
The Netherlands—53.64.
Norway—19.65.
Poland—18.95.
Portugal—4.25.
Rumania—.75.
Sweden—24.09.
Switzerland—22.56¼.
Argentina—31.16.
Brazil—5.90.
Mexico City—20.25.
Japan—27.29.
Hongkong—29.31.
Shanghai—16.37.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—Quotations in dollars: 4.67 7-8; sixty-day bills, 4.66 15-16.

(Rates in spot cables unless otherwise indicated.)

WHEAT FUTURES STEADY AT CLOSE

WINNIPEG, Jan. 28 (CP).—Firmness at Liverpool and absence of offerings offset predictions of moisture for the United States Winter wheat belt as prices held steady in today's short session on the Winnipeg wheat futures market. Only scattered export sales of Canadian wheat were reported.

At the close, quotations were ¼ to ⅛ cent higher, with May at 63⅛, July 64 and October 64¼ cents. Trading was dull as dealers appeared to be awaiting new developments.

Liverpool had gains of ⅛ to ¼ penny, while Buenos Aires held about unchanged.

A minor mill demand for top northern grades provided most of the cash wheat action while trade in coarse grains disclosed resting orders in oats for domestic mill account.

WINNIPEG GRAIN

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	63⅛	63⅛	63⅞	63⅛	63⅛
July	64⅛	64⅛	64½	64⅛	64¼
Oct	64⅛	64⅛	64⅛	64¼	b64⅛
Oats—					
May	29⅛	29⅛	29⅛	29⅛	29⅛
July	29⅛				b29⅛
Oct	26⅛				a26⅛
Rye—					
May	43⅛	43	43⅛	43⅛	43⅛
July	43⅛	44	44⅛	43⅛	b44
Barley—					
May	38⅛	36⅛	38⅛	38	38
July	37⅛				a37⅛

Cash Grain

Wheat: 1 Hard, 61⅛; 1 Northern, 61⅛; 2 Northern, 56⅛; 3 Northern, 53⅛; No. 4, 47⅛; No. 5, 41⅛; No. 6, 40⅛; Feed, 36⅛; Track, 61⅛. Amber Durum No. 1, 49⅛; No. 2, 47⅛; No. 3, 46⅛; No. 4, 43⅛; Track, 49⅛. Garnet No. 1, 53⅛; No. 3, 50⅛; No. 3, 44⅛.

Oats: 2 C.W., 30⅛; 3 C.W., 27⅛; Extra 1 Feed, 27⅛; 1 Feed, 29⅛; 2 Feed, 25⅛; 3 Feed, 22⅛; Track, 26⅛.

Barley: 2 R.O.W., 40; 3 R.O.W., 40; 3 C.W., 36⅛; 4 C.W., 35⅛; 5 C.W., 34⅛; 6 C.W., 33; Track, 37.

Flax: 1 N.W.C., 144⅛; 2 C.W., 140⅛; 3 C.W., 128; 4 C.W., 123⅛; Track, 141⅛.

Rye: 1 C.W., 41⅛; 2 C.W., 41⅛; 3 C.W., 36⅛; Rejected No. 3, 35⅛; 4 C.W., 34⅛; Track, 41⅛.

CHICAGO GRAIN

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	69⅛	69⅛	69⅛	69⅛	69⅛
July	69⅛	69⅛	69⅛	69⅛	69⅛
Sept	70⅛	70⅛	70⅛	70⅛	70⅛
Corn—					
May	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛	51	51⅛
July	52⅛	53⅛	52⅛	52⅛	52⅛
Sept	52⅛	52⅛	52⅛	52⅛	53⅛
Oats—					
May	38⅛	36	36⅛	28⅛	38⅛
July	27⅛				a27⅛
Sept	37	26⅛	27⅛	26⅛	27
Rye—					
May	..	46⅛	49⅛	46⅛	46⅛
July	..	47⅛			b47⅛
Sept	..	48⅛	48⅛	48⅛	46⅛

Dollar Makers

By GEORGE T. EAGER

HOW LONG SHOULD ADVERTISING COPY BE?

"When the angel Gabriel blows his horn," said a prominent advertising man recently, "he will interrupt two businessmen arguing whether long ads are better than short ones."

On this point an examination of the advertising of mail order houses and department stores of today is interesting. Their ads either get orders or they don't. They know which ones don't. It is interesting to note that both of them use longer copy than the average cigarette or automobile advertiser, who hasn't such a close check on results.

Look at the magazines of ten years ago, compare the ads with those of today. You find a trend towards longer copy—more ads containing 300 or 400 words. Or consider the experience of a mail order dealer in sea foods. Back in 1886 he used to send out a seventy-five-word sales letter in his own handwriting. Today his prospective customer receives not only a 750-word letter, but an order blank and a four-page folder as well.

John Caples, in his book, "Tested Advertising Methods," says: "This does not mean that long copy should be used merely for the sake of filling space. Long copy should be used in order to crowd in as many sales arguments as possible."

It's a bit like Lincoln's answer to the question, "How long should a man's legs be?" He replied, "Long enough to reach the ground."

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi 5s, 1953	49.50	50.50
B.A. Oil 4s, 1945	103.00	104.00
Brown Co. 5½s, 1949	37.00	
Calgary 5s, 1960	102.50	103.50
Canada Cement 4½s, 1951	103.50	105.00
Canada Steamships 6s, 1937	81.00	82.00
C.P.R. 3s, 1946	87.00	89.00
C.P.R. 3s, 1951	87.00	89.00
Dominion Tar 4½s, 1951	104.00	105.00
Famous Players 4½s, 1951	100.00	100.75
Gatineau Power 5s, 1946	101.25	102.25
General Steelwares 4½s, 1953	97.50	98.35
Massey-Harris 5s, 1947	101.75	102.25
McColl-Frontenac 4½s, 1946	99.75	100.75
Shawinigan 4s, 1961	103.00	104.00
Simpson's Ltd. 4½s, 1951	99.50	100.25
United Grain Grws. 5s, 1949	91.00	93.00

(Toronto Wholesale Prices)

TORONTO BOARD LITTLE CHANGED

TORONTO, Jan. 28 (CP). — Late liquidation nullified advances posted in an early rally today and the market presented a spotty appearance at the close. Volume totaled 429,000.

International Nickel and Smelters finished unchanged at 48⅛ and 50, respectively. Noranda closed at 73, ⅛ higher. Eldorado perked up 6 to 1.75.

Page Hersey and Dominion Foundries retained advances of 2 points each at 100 and 47.

Distillers and Brazilian Traction added ⅛ and Imperial and British American Oil easing a like amount. Dome climbed 1⅞ to 31¾. Macassa moved 25 down to 5.00.

Home Oil bounded up 12 from the openings, but sold off later to close at 2.21 for a loss of 7. Anglo-Canadian slipped down 5 to 1.09. Okalta improved 3 to 1.10.

MINING SECTION

(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Acme	.06	.07
Ajax	.16	.35
Aldermac	.39	.41
Bagamac	.17	.18
Bankfield	.26	.27
Base Metals	.20	.21
Beattie	1.26	1.26
Big Missouri	.25	.27
Bobjo	.13	.14
Bralorne	9.75	10.25
Buffalo Ankerite	13.75	15.00
C. & E. Corpn.	3.00	2.04
Canadian Malartic	.85½	.92
Cariboo Gold Quartz	2.15	
Castle Tretheway	.66	.92
Central Patricia	2.35	2.39
Chemical Research	.36	.45
Chibougamau	.24	.23
Coast Copper	1.66	2.50
Conarium	1.36	1.38
Dome	31.25	32.00
Eldorado	1.73	1.77
Falconbridge	4.80	4.75
God's Lake	.23	.24
Gunnar	.43	.44
Hard Rock	1.40	1.43
Hollinger	13.75	14.00
Home Oil	2.30	2.25
Howey	.25	.27
Hudson Bay M. & S.	31.50	32.25
Intl. Nickel	47.75	48.25
Kirkland Lake	1.22	1.23
Lakeshore	47.50	49.25
Leitch Gold	.72	.74
Little Long Lac	3.00	3.05
Macassa	4.95	5.05
McIntyre	50.00	51.00
McKenzie Red Lake	1.15	1.16
McLeod Cockshutt	3.30	2.35
McWatters	.53	.56
Mining Corpn.	1.75	1.76
Moneta	1.22	1.23
Morris-Kirkland	.16	.17
Nipissing	1.65	1.70
Noranda	73.00	73.50
O'Brien	2.55	2.60
Pamour	4.00	4.05
Powell Rouyn	1.93	1.94
Paymaster	.49	.53
Pend Oreille	1.45	1.47
Perron Gold	1.47	1.48
Pickle Crow	4.90	4.95
Pioneer	2.53	2.60
Premier	2.00	2.10
Reno	.26	.28
Royalite Oil	38.00	36.00
San Antonio	1.20	1.25
Sherritt-Gordon	1.05	1.07
Siscoe	1.32	1.35
Sladen Malartic	.56	.58
Stadacona	.49	.51
Sudbury Basin	2.11	2.20
Sullivan	.80	.83
Sylvanite	3.20	3.30
Teck-Hughes	4.25	4.40
Thompson Cadillac	.20	.21
Toburn	1.90	2.00
Uchi Lake	1.28	1.30
Ventures	5.10	5.15
Waite Amulet	6.30	6.40
Wright-Hargreaves	8.10	8.15

INDUSTRIAL SECTION

(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
B.A. Oils	20⅞	21⅛
B.C. Power "A"	21	22⅛
B.C. Power "B"	2	3⅛
Bell Telephone	166	167
Brazilian Traction	7⅛	7⅛
Canada Cement	7⅛	8
Canadian Car & Foundry	14	14⅛
Canada Malting	32⅛	32⅛
Canadian Pacific	4⅛	4⅛
Cockshutt Plow	6⅛	
Consolidated Smelters	50⅛	50⅛
Consumers Gas	180	182
Distillers-Seagrams	16	17
Dominion Bridge	30⅛	31
Dominion Tar & Chemical	5⅛	5⅛
Gatineau, Com.	11⅛	11⅛
General Steelwares	5⅛	5⅛
Gypsum	4⅛	5
Hamilton Bridge	4	5
Hiram Walker	43	44
Imperial Oil		16⅛
Intl. Petroleum	25	25⅛
Imperial Tobacco	15	15⅛
Intl. Nickel	47⅛	48⅛
Industrial Alcohol "A"	2	
Industrial Alcohol "B"	2	
Lake of the Woods	14	15
Laura Secord	11⅛	12
Montreal Power	29	29⅛
McColl-Frontenac	5⅛	6⅛
National Breweries	39	42⅛
Ogilvie Flour Mills	26	26⅛
Steel of Canada	70	71
Steel of Canada, Pfd.	69	
Banks		
Canadian Bank of Commerce	171	172
Dominion Bank		208
Bank of Montreal	208	210
Bank of Nova Scotia	303	
Royal Bank	188	190

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	166	166⅛
Brazilian T. L. & P.	7⅛	7⅛
B.A. Oil	21	21⅛
B.C. Power "A"	22	22⅛
Canada Malting	32	37⅛
Canadian Pacific	4⅛	4⅛
Con. Mining & Smelting	51	51⅛
Dominion Bridge	28⅛	29⅛
Dominion Textile	55	57
Fanny Farmer	19	19⅛
Ford "A"	20⅛	20⅛
Goodyear Tire, Com.	72	74
Goodyear Tire, Pfd.	56	57
Gatineau Power, Pfd.	88	89
Hiram Walker G. & W.	42⅛	43⅛
Hiram Walker G. & W. Pfd.	19⅛	20
Imperial Oil	16⅛	16⅛
Imperial Tobacco	15⅛	15⅛
International Nickel	48	48⅛
International Petroleum	25	25⅛
Loblaw Groc. "A"	23	24
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd.	85	89
Montreal Power, Com.	29⅛	30
Ogilvie Flour	28	28⅛
Royalite Oil	36⅛	38
Shawinigan W. & P.	20⅛	20⅛
Steel of Canada	70	72
Bralorne	10	10⅛
Dome	31	32
Hollinger Cons.	14	14⅛
Lakeshore	48⅛	48
McIntyre Porcupine	51	51⅛
Noranda	73	74
Pickle Crow	4.90	5.00
Premier	2.00	2.10
Wright-Hargreaves	8.05	8.10
Bank of Montreal	210	211
Royal Bank	189	190

DIVIDENDS DECLARED

Canadian Oil Company, Limited, 12 1-2 cents, plus 12 1-2 cents, payable February 15 to shareholders of record February 1.

Canadian Oil Company, Limited, preferred, 2 per cent, payable April 1 to shareholders of record March 20.

Petrol Oil & Gas Company, Limited, 2 cents, payable March 1, to shareholders of record February 15.

Bar Silver

LONDON, Jan. 28 (AP).—Bar silver 20 3-16d, up 1-4.

Oil and Gold Issues Decline Slightly at Vancouver Exchange

VANCOUVER, Jan. 28 (CP).—Prices closed with a slight downward trend on the short session of Vancouver Stock Exchange today after a week of almost steady declines. Friday's gains were partially wiped out under the light profit-taking and transfers totaled 54,995 shares.

Oil stocks accounted for bulk of trading with the golds next in line. Home topped the more active list, but dropped 10 cents at 2.20 and sold as low as 2.16. Calgary & Edmonton oil was 5 cents lower at 1.99, while Okalta at 1.08 and Vulcan at 57 each lost 3. Anglo Canadian dipped 6 at 1.08, Calmont and Davies Petroleum were each off a couple of cents and Royal Canadian eased 1 cent.

Bralorne Gold closed at 10.00, 20 cents lower, and Kootenay Belle was down 3 at 1.30. Gold Belt at 52, Hedley Mascot at 1.30 and Sheep Creek at 91 each lost 1 cent and Island Mountain was down 2 at 1.21. Cariboo Gold Quartz, Privateer, Premier and Dentonia remained unchanged.

Base metals were quiet.

VANCOUVER QUOTATIONS

(Boorman Investment Co., Ltd.)

Mines	Bid	Asked
Big Missouri	.25	.37
Bralorne	10.00	10.10
Bridge River Cons.	.02½	.03
Bluebird	.01½	
Cariboo Gold	2.15	2.20
Dentonia	.05	.05¼
Fairview Amalgamated	.02½	.03
Federal Gold		.01¼
George Copper		.33
Georgia River		.03
Golconda	.04½	
Gold Belt	.50	.55
Gold Mountain		.01¼
Grandview	.05½	.06
Grull Wihksne	.02¼	.02½
Hedley Mascot	1.29	1.30
Hedley Sterling	.00½	
Home Gold	.00¼	.01
Indian	.01¼	
Island Mountain	1.20	1.23
Kootenay Belle	1.30	1.35
Lucky Jim	.02	.02½
Mak Siccar	.01¼	
McGillivary Creek	.23	
Minto	.02¼	.02½
Nicola	.03	.03¼
Noble Five	.02½	.02¾
Privateer	1.03	1.04
Pacific Nickel		.20
Pend Oreille	1.41	1.45
Pioneer	2.55	2.70
Porter Idaho	.02¼	.03
Premier	2.03	2.08
Premier Border	.00¾	.01
Quatsino Copper		.03¼
Quesnelle Quartz	.05¼	.05½
Reeves Macdonald	.26	.27
Relief Arlington	.10	
Reno	.27	.28
Reward	.04	.05
Rufus Argenta	.01	.01½
Sally	.02	
Salmon Gold	.09½	.09¾
Sheep Creek	.90	.92
Silbak Premier	1.60	1.79
Silvercrest	.01½	.02
Sunlock	.06¼	
Taylor Bridge	.05	
Vidette	.05	.06¼
Waverley	.00¾	
Wellington	.01¼	.01½
Wesko		.01
Whitewater	.03¾	.04½
Oils		
Anglo-Canadian	1.08	1.10
Associated	.05	.10
Amalgamated	.00½	.01
Anaconda	.10	.11
A.P. Consolidated	.19	.16
Baltac		.03
C. & E. Corpn.	1.98	3.00
Calmont	.36	.37
Commoil	.40	.41
Commonwealth	.22½	.26
Crow's Nest	.00¼	.01
Dalhousie	.36	
Davies Pete	.32	.33
Eastcrest	.07	
Freehold	.04	
Foothills	.55	.70
Foundation	.10	
Highwood Sarcee	.16	.19
Home Oil	2.20	2.22
Madison	.04	
Mar Jon	.05¼	.06
Mercury	.06¼	
McDougall Segur	.12	.14
McLeod	.18	
Mill City	.03	
Model	.33	.34
Monarch		.10
Nordon	.07	
Okalta	1.08	1.07
Pacalta	.06	.07
Prairie Royalties	.19	.20
Royal Canadian	.16	.17
Royalite		38.00
Spooner	.07	
Sunset	.30	
Southwest Pete	.35	.42
United Oil	.10	.10½
Vanalta	.06	.08
Vulcan	.57	
Westflank		.05½
West Turner	.05	
Industrials		
Brewers & Distillers	4.25	5.25
Capital Estates	1.06	1.10
Coast Breweries		1.13
United Distillers	.50	

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	1940	4	104.00	105.00
"	1941	5	107.75	108.75
"	1943	5	111.875	112.875
"	1944	4½	110.875	111.875
"	1945	4	107.375	108.375
"	1946	4½	111.00	112.25
"	1949	3½	103.50	104.50
"	1952	4	107.375	108.375
"	1956	4½	110.675	111.875
"	1959	4½	111.25	112.25
"	1955	3	98.25	99.25
"	1966	3¼	100.875	101.875
"	Perp	3	91.875	92.875
"	1949	3½	102.50	103.50
"	1951	3½	101.825	102.625
"	1956	3	97.25	98.25
"	1967	3	96.625	99.625
DOMINION GUARANTEES				
Can. Nat. Rly.	1951	4½	114.25	115.00
"	1957	4	115.25	118.25
"	1955	4½	117.35	118.25
" July	1969	5	115.25	118.00
" Oct.	1969	5	118.25	119.00
"	1954	5	116.25	119.35
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No Turning

by Kathryn Bemis

Author of "Love in Danger," "Adventure in Love," Etc.

CHAPTER LIX

The usual after-theatre crowd swarmed into the lobby of her hotel as Kay returned, the newspaper she had just bought under her arm. The women in bright-colored gowns and wraps, the men in evening clothes, made a brilliant picture. For the majority of them, a gay night was just beginning, which would end at daybreak in a night club. Kay, however, was not mindful of this. She went up in the elevator, acutely conscious of her aching muscles. She had had a hectic day which she hoped had entirely rearranged her mental condition.

She locked herself in her room, undressed, got into green satin pajamas. Newspaper in hand, she crawled into bed, arranged the two pillows comfortably at her back, switched on the night lamp on the little table beside her. She released a long drawn out sigh. It was good to be alone, out of reach of everyone she knew.

She rested the paper against her curled up knees, and began reading the front-page headlines. War, rumors of war, flyers over the ocean, beauty contests, a Hollywood romance, the president's activities, murder, suicide—it was all there, as usual.

"The same old stuff," she protested to herself. "Nothing ever happens."

She yawned widely, turned to the second page.

Listlessly, her tired eyes scanned the columns. Then suddenly she stared in unbelief at a headline. She bounced upright, crying, "Oh, no! It can't be true! It can't be."

"Webb Taylor injured" was the headline. She read down the column, remorse engulfing her. While she had been away, trying to forget his interest in her, this man who loved her so much that he was forcing her to marry him had dived into the Jenkins' swimming pool and severely injured his head. He was in a Deweyton hospital, not expected to live.

She was convinced that he had dived into the shallow end of the pool when under the influence of liquor. If she had been with him, she might have prevented the accident. She thought this, even while remembering that Kitty West, the pretty little southerner, was the guest of Aberilla Jenkins. But then, Webb's flirtation with her at the Comer dinner meant nothing. The girl he soon expected to marry would be the most important to him now in this hour of suffering.

Nervously she dialed the airport, inquired about planes. There was one going east at eight in the morning. She made a reservation, then called the desk and asked to be awakened at six-thirty.

Sleep was impossible. She stuck her cold feet into green satin mules, and began pacing the floor, blaming herself for her neglect of Webb. He was an excellent swimmer when sober. Yet when had she been able to keep him in this desirable condition? She had to acknowledge defeat along this line.

Finally, she sank into a deep leather chair, too dazed and exhausted to continue her tramping up and down. Her eyes were too heavily-lidded to remain open much longer. She dragged herself over to the bed and flung her exhausted body across its foot. She lay there the remainder of the night.

She was awakened by the ringing of the telephone. It seemed like the middle of the night. Was there a fire? Then she remembered where she was, and answered the call.

A feminine voice said, "Miss Millstrom—it's six-thirty."

Mechanically, Kay answered, "Thank you" and hung up.

A sudden wave of nausea swept over her. She must do something to prevent actual collapse. She managed to use the telephone again to order coffee and rolls.

She made a pretense of eating this breakfast while dressing. Her fingers trembled so violently that it was nearly impossible to hook the tweed skirt around her waist, to button the brown silk blouse.

She reached the airport half an hour before the eastern plane left the field, had time to wire Webb's mother that she was on the way home. She hoped and prayed Webb was conscious, that he hadn't said things he shouldn't say, that he was in his right mind.

Shortly, she found herself in the intimate safeness of the plane's cabin with six other passengers. She drank bouillon up in the clouds, forced down tea, but could eat no solid food. The hostess, noting Kay's pale tautness, tried to coax her to relax against a pillow.

But Kay's storming soul would not be consoled. She knew herself to be a rank coward at heart. She had run away at so inopportune a time; she had been so thoughtless of others. Poor Webb! She never could love him but she could pity him.

The day dragged out, with stops here and there to relieve the monotony of the feeling of being poised motionless above the earth. Passengers got off, others came in. Kay was totally disinterested in all of them. She was only miserably aware of her own shortcomings. Webb had needed her. She had failed him.

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Grade "A" medium .17
Grade "A" pullet .16

Following are city wholesale:

Grade "A" large .23
Grade "A" medium .21
Grade "A" pullet .20

Metal Markets

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 (AP).—Closing quotations:

Copper—Steady; electrolytic spot, 11.25; export, 10.07.

Tin—Steady; spot and nearly 46.00; forward, 46.10.

Lead—Steady; spot, New York, 4.75 to 4.80; East St. Louis, 4.60.

Zinc—Steady; East St. Louis, spot and forward, 4.50.

Pig iron, aluminum, antimony, quicksilver, platinum and Chinese wolframite, unchanged.

AT MONTREAL

MONTREAL, Jan. 28 (CP).—Closing quotations:

Copper, spot, electrolytic, 11.50.
Tin—Spot, 48.60.
Lead—Spot, 4.45.
Zinc—Spot, 4.85.
Antimony—Spot, 16.00 per 100 lbs. f.o.b. Montreal, five-ton lots.

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, Jan. 28 (CP).—Canadian Commodity Exchange quotations: Butter, spot, Quebec (92 score), 22 to 22 1-4.

Butter futures: February, 22 1-2a; March, 22 1-4a; April, 22 1-2.

BAR GOLD AT LONDON

MONTREAL, Jan. 28 (CP).—Bar gold in London down 1c at $35 an ounce in Canadian funds; 148s 8 1-2d in British funds. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $35.25 in Canadian funds.

APPEAL QUESTION BEFORE COUNCIL

Water Board Recommends That Water Rate Case Be Tested In Higher Court

A recommendation that an appeal be taken on the recent Supreme Court water rate case decision against the city will be dealt with at a meeting of the City Council at 8 o'clock Monday night. Last Wednesday afternoon the water board went on record as unanimously favoring an appeal. All members of the council except Alderman S. H. Okell were present.

Later in the week the council will assemble as a franchise committee to discuss power, electric light and the Goldstream sub-station questions with R. W. Beck, public utilities adviser.

Filed for consideration by the council is a letter from the Blue Line, suggesting that a hearing be given representatives on transportation matters.

The street lighting committee will be asked to deal with a request received for a new light at Fifth Street and Tolmie Avenue.

Invitations on file include one for the Mayor and council to attend a social and dance in fire department headquarters on Friday night, and another from the British Columbia Fire Chiefs' Association to send representatives to the annual fire college at Vancouver from May 30 to June 3.

Foreign Bonds

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	Bid	Asked
Australia 4½s, 1956	[illegible]	94.125
Bolivia 7s, 1958	2.25	4.00
Chile 6s, 1961	[illegible]	[illegible]
Colombia 6s, 1961	20.00	[illegible]
French 7s, 1949	105.00	
German 5½s, 1965	18.75	[illegible]
Italy 7s, 1951	66.00	68.00
Japan 6½s, 1954	[illegible]	[illegible]
Peru 7s, 1961	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] 1955	97.00	[illegible]
United Kingdom 4½s, 1990	98.625	99.925

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ANNUAL REPORT SHOWS PROGRESS

Co-operative Consumers' Society of Victoria Holds Gathering At the Y.W.C.A.

The Co-operative Consumers' Society of Victoria held its annual meeting at the Y.W.C.A. The meeting was preceded by a dinner, which was attended by about seventy members and their friends.

Members were shown moving pictures sent by the Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Society, depicting their activities in England.

During the business meeting the keynote was that of optimism. The retiring board of directors was able to report highly gratifying progress in the affairs of the society, the volume of business during 1938 being double that of the previous year. Membership was reported increased and more interest in the society being shown by the citizens of Victoria.

DONATIONS ASKED

The secretary read a letter from the Co-operative Union of Canada asking for donations toward a fund elected, with the exception of Mr. Slovakin who have suffered greatly from the recent division in that country. Donations may be left at the store, 1318 Government Street.

The election of officers resulted in the previous board being re-to assist Co-operatives in Czecho-Wilson, who was replaced by his son. The directors are: W. E. Peirce, president; Mrs. Hudson, secretary; D. Peirce, manager; Miss Barker, Mr. Patterson, Kenneth McAllister and Harold Wilson. H. E. Beyer was appointed auditor.

The following auditing committee was elected from the membership: Mrs. J. K. Bell, A. P. Rayment, Mr. Crane and Mr. Durrand.

A pleasant incident was the presentation of a corsage bouquet of rosebuds to Mrs. Hudson, the secretary. The manager and staff were also thanked by the members for their splendid work during the past year.

HIS ADVICE

"Maura went to an astrologer to find out when was the best time to get married."

"What did he tell her?"

"He took one look at her and told her to grab the first chance."

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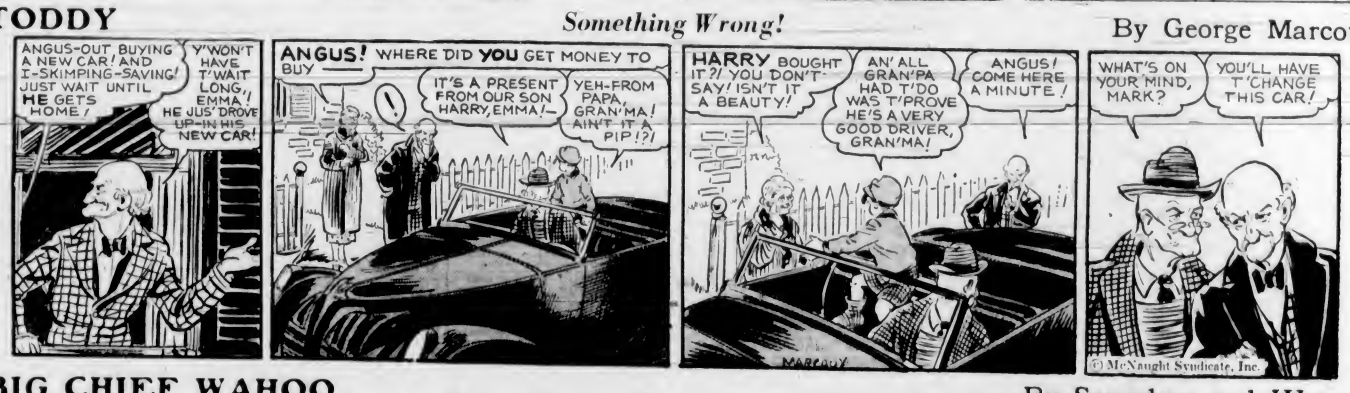
APPLE MARY

By Martha Orr

TODDY

Something Wrong!

By George Marcoux



BIG CHIEF WAHOO

By Saunders and Woggon

POPEYE

POP

Hats Off

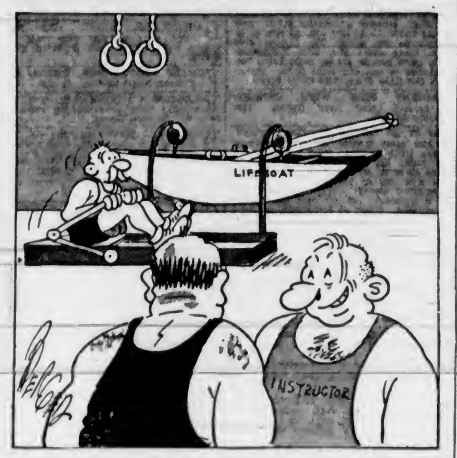
By J. Millar Watt

TILLIE THE TOILER

More Head Work Needed

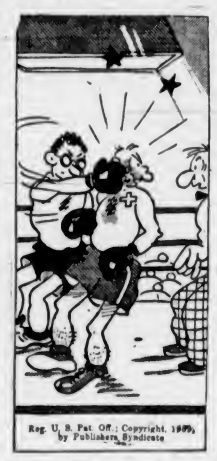
By Westover

TIME OUT! - - - By Chet Smith



Mr. Oglesby was never one to take chances.

Dis ain't no game of chance—dese dice are loaded!



How can I hit 'im wid them glasses on?

LIFE'S LIKE THAT - By Fred Neher

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Classified Ads for The Sunday Colonist will be accepted up to 9 p.m. on Saturdays.

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1 BIRTHS

CORBETT—At the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, January 24, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Corbett (nee Emily Gill), of 3897 Austin Street, Saanich, V.I., a son.

SAVILLE—At Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, January 27, to Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Saville (nee Mary Cockin), of 1771 Second Street, a daughter.

2 DEATHS

CUNNINGHAM—At the family residence, 1539 Richmond Road, on Thursday morning, Lieut.-Col. H. H. B. Cunningham, aged sixty-three years.
The remains are resting at McCall Bros.' Funeral Home and the funeral will take place from Christ Church Cathedral on Sunday afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock, Rev. Arthur Bischlager officiating. Interment will be in the Military Cemetery, Esquimalt.

PENKETH—At the residence, 1860 Bowker Place, on January 26, 1939, George Penketh, aged eighty-three years, born in Manchester, England, and a resident of Victoria since 1888.
The funeral will be held on Monday, the cortege leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock, proceeding to St. John's Church, where services will be conducted at 2.15 p.m. Interment in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

BRIDGEN—Passed away on January 28 at Colquitz, B.C., William Bridgen, aged twenty-seven years, a native of the United States, and a resident of Colquitz for the past two years.
Funeral service will be held on Tuesday morning, January 31, at 8.45 o'clock, from the Thomson Funeral Home. The cortege will proceed to Our Lady Queen of Peace (Catholic) Church, 849 Old Esquimalt Road, where Mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock, Rev. Father A. B. Wood, celebrant. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

GRAHAME—Passed away in Victoria on Saturday, January 28, Mrs. Annie Grahame, aged fifty years, of Vancouver, B.C. The late Mrs. Grahame was born in Nanaimo and had been a resident of Victoria for the past three months. She is mourned by one son, John Stewart Grahame of Vancouver; her father, John D. Stewart, of Nanaimo, and one sister, Mrs. J. T. Clark, of Victoria.
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10 COMING EVENTS

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ANNUAL A.Y.P.A. DANCE, ST. JOHN'S, Tuesday, January 31, 9 till 1. Crystal Garden. Len Acres' Orchestra. Admission 35 cents.

A VALENTINE DANCE, ROYAL OAK Hall, February 10, 9 to 1. Jack Dick's modern orchestra. 35c.

ANOTHER IRVINE'S OLD-TIME DANCE, Wednesday, Lake Hill. Prizes. 20c. Beginners Welcome.

A MILITARY 500, LAKE HILL LAWN Bowling Club, Community Centre, Monday, January 30, 8.15, prizes; 25c.

AT PLAYFAIR CLUB, 1230 GOVERNMENT. Whist nightly, 8.45. Good cash prizes. Afternoon games.

BRIDGE (AUCTION) AND COURT whist will be held under the auspices of Queen City Chapter No. 5, O.E.S., at the Liberal Rooms, corner Broughton and Government Streets, Friday, February 3, at 8 p.m. Prizes and refreshments. 35 cents.

C.C.F. MEETING, ROOM 9, ARCADE Building, tonight, 8 o'clock; subject, "Education." Attend this popular event.

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INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL LEAGUE dance, Foresters' Hall, Tuesday, January 31; dancing 9-1. Irvine's Orchestra, refreshments. Admission 35 cents.

KEATING BADMINTON CLUB DANCE, Thursday, February 2, 1939. Temperance Hall, Keating. Len Acres' Orchestra. Dancing 9-1. Refreshments. Admission 50c.

MT. TOLMIE C.C.F. HALL, CONCERT and dance, Friday, February 3, 8 o'clock.

NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT, FEBRUARY 3, at 8 p.m. the Victoria Versatiles will stage Town Hall at the Chamber of Commerce, also hobby-lobby and music. You will enjoy this; it is different. Admission, adults, 35c; children, 15c.

OLD-TIME DANCING CLASSES, SONS of England Hall, Monday night, 8-11. Scottie MacKenzie, instructor. Admission 35c.

OLD-TIME DANCE, HAYMAKERS, Strawberry Vale Hall, Burnside Rd., Wednesday, February 1, 8.30 till 12.30. Admission 35c. Refreshments.

RUMMAGE SALE SPONSORED BY Fellowship Circle, King's Daughters, Wednesday, February 1, Memorial Hall, Vancouver Street, at 2.30.

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A REPUTATION FOR PAYING HIGHest prices for rags, bottles, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere any time. G 4753.

ANTIQUE JEWELRY—OLD GOLD, GOLD coins, plates, etc., for cash. Rose's, Ltd., 1317 Douglas Street.

ANTIQUE DEALER WILL SELL ON commission, ornaments, china, glass, silver. Box 3833, Colonist.

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PLATE GLASS SHOWCASE, SMALL showcase, two counters, Brantford computing scale. E 9756

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WANTED—FOUR PAIRS OF HIGH-BUTtoned or laced women's black boots, size 6. Phone G 3158.

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WANTED—HIGH CHAIR AND TRIcycle for child 3 years. Phone E 4385

WANTED—FEATHER OR DOWN CUSHions or beds. Phone E 6953

$2 MONTHLY FOR USE OF GOOD piano one hour daily, male pianist. Box 3983, Colonist.

41A SWAPS

SWAP TENOR BANJO FOR GUITAR. Phone Colquitz 80T. Box 3981, Colonist.

WILL TRADE GOOD USED RADIOS, all models, for wood or anything of a useful nature. Mr. Lew. E 1171

1927 ENGLISH CAR, VERY ECONOMical. Swap for piano accordion or offer. G 3839

42 POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

42A POULTRY AND SUPPLIES

BABY CHICKS READY, WHITE LEGhorns, R.I. Reds, B. Rocks, New Hampshires, unsexed or sexed. Write for prices. Lake Hill Poultry Farm, 1188 Union Ave.

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CHICKENS six turkey hens and one gobbler. Phone Belmont 31M.

FOR SALE—WHITE HOLLAND TURkeys. Reply to Box 3824, Colonist.

JERSEY WHITE GIANT COCKERELS, good breeding stock. C. Whitehouse, Saanichton P.O. Keating 10Y

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42B HORSES

WANTED—HEAVY TEAM HARNESS OR logging harness. Box 3738, Colonist.

42C CATTLE

FRESH COW WILL TAKE BEEF COW in part trade. Phone Belmont 292.

42 POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK (Continued)

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OLD COWS AND HORSES WANTED. S. Lane, Colwood. Belmont 21X.

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42F DOGS

BENVARDEN KENNELS, CADBORO BAY. Ribby pedigreed cocker puppies for sale. Dogs boarded by animal lovers. At stud Windridge Tanquilla. E 2053

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CANARY HENS FREE! FOR ONE WEEK only, one breeding hen given with each singer sold. Full line of breeding supplies. Pet Shop, 1412 Douglas Street. G 5731

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COCKER SPANIEL PUPS, PUREBRED, good hunting strain. Phone G 7980.

DOG SHOW FEBRUARY 4, SHRINE Hall. Victoria City Kennel Club. Evening show judging 8 p.m. Admission 35c. Children 10c. Afternoon children's fancy dress (optional), judging 2.30. Adults 35c. Children accompanied by parents free. Phone G 4978, E 2536.

DACHSHUNDS, BLACK AND TAN, male, nine months, also male tan puppy, eight weeks, from imported stock. E 8480.

FEMALE SCOTTY PUP, CHEAP, SIX months, house broken. G 4668

REGISTERED WIRE-HAIRED TERRIER puppies from prize-winning stock for sale. 645 Johnson Street.

WANTED — WIRE-HAIRED OR FOX terrier pup, cheap. Box 3966, Colonist.

WILL GIVE A GOOD HOME TO A MALE puppy. Small breed. G 5920.

42X MISCELLANEOUS

CLOVER AND TIMOTHY HAY, $19 DElivered; rye grass, $16.50. George Polson. Phone Keating 9X

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CLOVER AND TIMOTHY MIXED HAY, $20 ton del. Keating 74X. Michell.

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47 ROOM AND BOARD

A COSY HOME FOR ONE OR TWO. E 8617, between 2 and 7 p.m. 145 Gov't.

BOARD AND ROOM IN PRIVATE house, suit businessman. Close to car and sea. Excellent cooking. Phone G 7909.

BOARD AND ROOM, VERY REASONable, good table. E 3601

BOARD AND ROOM IN PRIVATE HOME. Reasonable. 505 Government Street.

FULL ACCOMMODATION, COMFORTable, private home. Gentlemen. Close in, garage. 1122 Collinson Street. E 1040.

FRONT BEDROOM, SUIT TWO. TEN minutes to business. Board. G 7368.

"HAWTHORNDEN," 631 BURDETT — Central location. Excellent table. E 0255

IN PRIVATE HOME, FOR BUSINESSMAN, moderate, central, garage. G 8181.

JAMES BAY — COMFORTABLE HOME, good board. Winter rates. E 7086

JAMES BAY — COMFORTABLE HOME, good board. Winter rates. E 4639

PRIVATE FAMILY HOME ADVANtages, Moss Street (near car). Phone G 3157

PLEASANT, WARM HOME, CONVENIently located. Suit business people or couple. E 8844

ROOM AND BOARD, COMFORTABLE home, suit gentleman, $35 month. E 5964

ROOM AND BOARD, COMFORTABLE, warm rooms, close in, $25 a month. Phone E 9153

ROOM AND BOARD FOR GENTLEMAN, private home, near bus. Box 3805, Colonist.

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WARM, COMFORTABLE ROOM WITH board in private home for business or professional woman. Good district. Close in. E 0687

736 COURTNEY — ROOM OR WITH board, suitable for gentleman. E 4920

1418 Harrison. Furn. or unfurn. Warm sitting room, fireplace. E 9772

48 ROOM AND BOARD WANTED

YOUNG LADY REQUIRES ROOM $6 a month. Box 3884, Colonist.

49 ROOMS TO RENT

A NICE ROOM IN A QUIET HOME FOR a lady. G 1868

COLUMBIA ROOMS, PANDORA AT Broad — Housekeeping or furnished rooms. Hot and cold water. G 2315.

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YORK HOTEL, JOHNSON AT DOUGLAS. Modern, comfortable, inexpensive.

49A FURNISHED

COMFORTABLE, FURNISHED ROOM, board if desired. Very reasonable. One block from car. Phone E 6306

CECIL Hotel, 1332 Blanshard St. Rooms, with or without bath, reasonable rates.

FAIRFIELD HOTEL, OPPOSITE CITY Hall — Comfortable Winter quarters. Well heated rooms from $2. Housekeeping privileges. Props., Scruton & Nunn.

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QUIET, COMFORTABLE ROOM, SUITable for business man, walking distance. Garage available. G 5319

RITZ HOTEL, 710 FORT—BEDROOMS, suites, housekeeping rooms, elevator; central. Reasonable rates. G 7158

SUNNY ROOM, FURNACE HEAT, around floor. 1018 Mason St. E 2955.

TO RENT—BED-SITTING-ROOM, WITH adjoining kitchenette, convertible Chesterfield, contains hot water, one block from 8 cent bus, seven and one-half blocks from town. 1127 Camosun Street. G 8487.

49B UNFURNISHED

2 LARGE FRONT ROOMS, BATH, phone, gas, water, $18. Single furnished room, $8. Phone F 8301

51 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT

ATTRACTIVE HOUSEKEEPING ACCOMmodation, ... central location. Reasonable rental. E 8191

CLIFTON HOUSE, H.K. OR SLEEPING, $2.50 week up. 1319½ Broad. E 8024

H.K. ROOMS, QUIET, HEATED, GOOD location, close car and town. E 7079.

LARGE FRONT H.K., $12; SINGLE, $10. 1119 Princess. G 3870

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UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT — FURnished and unfurnished housekeeping rooms. Phone G 2981

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51A FURNISHED

ATTRACTIVE HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, Devonshire House. Inspect this warm, quiet hotel for Winter comfort. 731 Fort St.

ATTRACTIVE SUITE, ALSO H.K. ROOM. Adelia, 332 Douglas, near park.

AT PENRYN, 1031 PANDORA—QUIET, warm, furnished housekeeping rooms.

AT PARK — QUIET, WARM, SINGLE, Kitchenette. 417 Vancouver. E 9446.

AT 936 COLLINSON, CLEAN, WARM room, close in, reasonable.

BRIGHT FURNISHED ROOM, CENTRAL, hot water, "fire." Respectable party. 15 month. 849 Fort.

BED-SITTING-ROOMS, KITCHEN, REfined home, quiet. 307 Vancouver St.

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BRIGHT, COMFORTABLE HOUSEKEEPING rooms, all conveniences. 441 Vancouver Street.

COMFORTABLE HOUSEKEEPING rooms, conveniences. 1131 Collinson Street.

COMFORTABLE, CLEAN ROOM, CLOSE in; conveniences. 815 Vancouver St. E 8573.

CLEAN, WARM ROOM, QUIET HOME, near Hudson's Bay. E 9952.

CLOSE JAMES BAY HOTEL. WARM bed-sitting, kitchenette, garage. E 1628.

FURNISHED TWO-ROOM SUITE. Modern. Garage. Adults. 1242 Fort.

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LARGE HOUSEKEEPING ROOM, WALKing distance. Apply 473 Superior St.

TWO WARM BRIGHT ROOMS, KITCHenette, garage. Quiet house. 1115 Princess.

WARM, CLEAN, BRIGHT HOUSEKEEPing room, h.c.w., E 8503. 1157 Johnson Street.

1010 LINDEN—SMALL SINGLE ROOM, all found, $7.

51B UNFURNISHED

PRIVATE HOME, SELECT NEIGHBORhood, walking distance, furnace heat, continuous hot water. E 1873.

52 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS WANTED

52A FURNISHED

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPING ROOM ON the ground floor, near town. Apply Mrs. M. Bruce, 1024 Vancouver Street.

53 FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT

ATTRACTIVE FURNISHED APARTment, available immediately. Two bedrooms, dining-room, kitchenette and bathroom. Savoy Mansions.

APARTMENT, UNFURNISHED, THREE rooms, sunroom; electric kitchen; garage; seafront. Marine Court, 408 Dallas. G 3117.

APARTMENT, FURNISHED, TWO AND three rooms, from $14.50 up. Close to High School. 1251 Pandora. Phone owner, E 2848.

AT RIDEAU APTS., GOVERNMENT AND Michigan Streets, modern 4-roomed suite, unfurnished, adults. $37.50. G 2810.

ATTRACTIVE SUITE, GEORGIAN. 915 Moss Street. Nothing nicer, moderate rental, new, open fireplace.

ATTRACTIVE BRIGHT TWO-ROOM furnished apartment; heated, gas, suitable business ladies. E 0086.

APARTMENT NOW AVAILABLE (GAbles), corner Foet and Linden Avenue.

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LOVELY 6-ROOMED APARTMENT, main floor, fireplaces; linos, stove, furnace; fine garden. Esquimalt. E 3972.

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THREE-ROOMED FURNISHED COTtages, light and water supplied, $15 per month. Home Bungalow Auto Camp, 595 Gorge Road.

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1219 PANDORA—NEW MANAGEMENT. Warm, sunny suite. Every convenience.

1 AND 3-ROOM SUITES—LIGHT, HEAT included. Scott Apartments. G 0259.

55 HOUSES TO RENT

55A FURNISHED

A FOUR-ROOM, MODERN BUNGALOW, garage. 1815 Crescent Road. G 6478.

FOUR ROOMS AND SUNPORCH, NEAR town and park. References required. 938 Heywood Avenue.

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FURNISHED, FIVE ROOMS, FURNACE, gas, central. Reasonable rent. E 2849.

SMALL, Modern Cottages. Low Winter rates. Greenwood Park Auto. G 4295.

55B UNFURNISHED

2213 MAPLE ST —8 rooms, furnace, garage $20.00
137 ERNETA STREET —4 rooms, furnace $20.00
1826 HAMPSHIRE ROAD—7 rooms, furnace, garage $22.50
1031 CHAMBERLAIN ST. — 7-room bungalow $30.00
310 LINDEN AVE.—9 rooms, stucco, $32.50
1404 BEACH DRIVE—5-room duplex, automatic heat $45.00
PEMBERTON & SON, LTD.
625 Fort Street. Phone G 8124

411 YOUNG ST.—6 rooms $17.00
1827 FORT ST.—8 rooms $17.50
740 VICTORIA AVE.—8 rooms $27.50
P. R. BROWN & SONS, LTD.
1112 Broad Street. Phone G 7171

DUPLEX, 4-ROOM, BATH, NEWLY DECorated; close in; $20. 1213 North Park.

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1495 FORT ST.—5 rooms, hardwood floors, upstairs, duplex, furnace $20.00
ROSS ST.—4 rooms, garage $25.00
RICHMOND AVE.—5 rooms, garage $25.00
AVEBURY ST.—6-room bungalow, garage $27.50
ABBEY APTS—Modern suite, close in $25.00
FORT AND QUADRA—2 new stores, at each $40.00
GOVERNMENT ST.—2 offices, first floor ..... $10.00 and $15.00
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640 Fort Street. Phone G 1932

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BISHOP & WORTHINGTON, LTD.
576 Yates Street. Phone E 3241

FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, FAIRFIELD, $25. 6-room, $20. 7-room, $20. 4-room modern stucco, $25. 4-room, Gorge, $22.50; and many others. Apply George Randall, 1302 Douglas. G 7241.

FOUR ROOMS, BATHROOM, GARAGE, close in, including water, $21. Three rooms, bathroom, garage, including water, $15. Roseveor Company, 110 Union Bldg.

FOR RENT—THREE - ROOM HOUSE, newly decorated. Apply 2557 Shakespeare Street.

FAIRFIELD, MODERN FIVE-ROOMED cottage, furnace, near school. $20. E 9193.

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MOVING?—READ THE INSIDE OF THE back cover of your telephone book.

NINE - ROOMED WELL - CONSTRUCTED house, basement, furnace, open fireplaces; large lot, rent $15 per month. Phone G 7741.

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SIX-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, OAK BAY Avenue, garage, $25 per month. Empire Realty Co., 1008 Broad Street.

SIX ROOMS, CLEAN, BEST LOCALITY, James Bay. Vacant Feb. 1. Rent $16. E 2966.

SIX-ROOM HOUSE, 525 NIAGARA Street, $15, without water. Phone E 8605.

7-ROOMED HOUSE ON WATERFRONT—Excellent condition, large living-room; hot-water heat, fine sea view. Rent $30. Alfred Carmichael & Co., Ltd., 1218 Broad Street. Real Estate and Insurance.

766 OLIVER ST. OAK BAY. FIVE-room bungalow, hardwood floors, $42.50. Also eight rooms at 31 Bushby St., fully modern, furnace, garage, $32.50. Foot & Co. G 5541.

780 DOMINION ROAD—NEWLY DECOrated four-room bungalow, basement, $14.

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338 ST. JAMES ST.—5-ROOM COTtage; large lot, rent $17. Swinerton & Co., Limited, 820 Broughton St.

57 WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

WANTED — THE LISTINGS OF YOUR houses, flats and apartments. Our rental department has tenants waiting. Prompt attention given to all listings. George Randall, 1303 Douglas St. G 7241.

WIDOW LADY DESIRES TO MEET ANother similarly placed, with a view to sharing moderately expenses of nice little home, near car, close in. Box 3877 Colonist.

57B UNFURNISHED

BY MARCH 15—FOUR OR FIVE-ROOM house, by young couple. Box 3759, Colonist.

WANTED TO RENT BY YOUNG couple—5-room unfurnished bungalow or duplex. Available March 1. Phone E 0601.

WANTED—ONE OR TWO-ROOM UNfurnished house in suburbs. C. P., c/o C. C. Smith, Cordova Bay.

65 AUTOMOBILES

65A FOR SALE

A STUDEBAKER PRESIDENT SEDAN, rebored, new piston rings and wrist pins, in first-class condition; price $250. Phone E 1127 or E 1030 after 6 p.m.

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$825
(Terms if Needed.)
89 Moss Street. Phone E 0739

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FOR SALE—STRONG TWO - WHEELED trailer. Phone G 2397.

FOR SALE—LIGHT TRUCK, RUNNING order, good tires cheap. Phone E 2019.

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JUNKIE AUTO WRECKER—E 7521. BEST prices paid for your car. Parts for all cars and trucks. 927 View.

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REPORTS SHOW GOOD PROGRESS

Spirit of Fellowship Marks Meeting of Emmanuel Baptist Church

A fine spirit of fellowship prevailed at the annual meeting of the Emmanuel Baptist Church held recently. Preceding the business session, the members and friends enjoyed the banquet served by the Ladies' Aid Society.

Deacon G. F. Waites, the moderator, presided over the gathering and reviewed with optimism the work of the various branches of the church. The financial statement presented by Ross Main, the church treasurer, showed that the church was in a better financial condition than the previous year. The report of the deaconate read by W. J. Miles on the spiritual life of the church, and the reports of the trustee board and church clerk read by Harry Renfree were encouraging, the keynote being co-operation, harmony and progress. The Sunday school report read by Miss Margaret Heap showed an enrollment of 135 pupils and the Shelbourne Street Mission Sunday School an enrollment of forty-two children.

ENCOURAGING REPORTS

Encouraging reports on the missionary work of the church was given by Mrs. A. S. Imrie showing that the women had raised their full quota for the Foreign Mission Board, and Miss Opal Abercrombie who gave the report of the Junior Mission Circle. The Ladies' Aid report on the welfare work in the church was given by Mrs. A. Pinkerton and showed that special meetings had been held for the mothers of the Sunday school children. The B.Y.P.U. report read by Miss Margaret Lorbeer showed that the young people were branching out into evangelistic work and were supporting an Indian missionary in India. The Women's Auxiliary report was presented by Mrs. W. J. Wilson, the choir by C. M. Cross, the Western Baptist by Mrs. William Russell, the envelope steward by George Erikson, the music committee by Mrs. G. H. E. Green, all of which revealed progress with a forward look for the year 1939.

W. H. Muncy, conductor of the choir was accorded the thanks and appreciation of the church and was presented with a handsome leather brief case, William Dinsmore making the presentation. A standing vote was passed adopting the resolution of confidence and appreciation of the pastor, Rev. Dr. Andrew S. Imrie, and pledging loyalty and devotion to him and the work of the church during the coming year. A corsage bouquet was presented to Mrs. Imrie.

Musical items were given by the male quartette, composed of N. Duckworth, W. G. Muir, A. Hall, H. Renfree, accompanied by John Richardson; two numbers for the choir conducted by Mr. Muncy, and two solos by Mrs. Bernard Gillies, accompanied by Mrs. G. H. E. Green.

OFFICERS CHOSEN

The officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Church clerk, Harry Renfree; assistant clerk, Miss Elsie Cross; treasurer, Ross Main; board of deacons, G. F. Waites, H. T. Zala, J. R. Clements; board of trustees (deferred election); moderator, G. F. Waites; chief usher, William Dinsmore; envelope clerk, George Erikson; tellers, David Parfitt, W. G. Muir, B. Dixon, Arthur Zala; Western Baptist agent, Mrs. William Russell; Lord's Day Alliance representative, G. F. Waites; British and Foreign Bible Society representative, Mrs. O. H. Cogswell; Prohibition Society representative, Mrs. A. Sproule; music committee, Mrs. G. H. E. Green, Miss Q. Shields, H. Parfitt; baptismal committee, Mrs. G. F. Waites, Mrs. A. H. Marrion, Mrs. H. T. Zala; Shelbourne Street committee, C. M. Cross, P. Hancock, E. Dawson; superintendent of Shelbourne Street Sunday School, Harold Parfitt; superintendent of Emmanuel Sunday School, Donald Smith; bulletin supervisor, Miss Marion Jamieson; flowers, Miss Q. Shields; auditors, J. A. Armstrong, R. S. Scoble.

The meeting was brought to a close with the singing of "Forward Be Our Watchword," and an inspirational message from Dr. Imrie, in which he thanked the congregation and organizations for the loyalty and support given to the work of building up the Kingdom of God in the community. He urged that the work of the kingdom be given first place, and that each member stand for the highest and noblest purpose in life, that of serving the Christ.

—AND VERY WET!

A quartette of longshoremen were singing on the waterfront when the tenor fell off the dock into the water. The incident passed unnoticed by the leader, but he realized that something was wrong with the harmony.

"What's the matter with you chaps?" he asked. "One of you don't sound right."

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Lighting Report Of City Given by Department Head

Operation of 6,485 electric light globes to illuminate the city last year cost $18,458.02 for 1,727,700 kilowatt hours of current, according to the annual report of Walter B. McMicking, city electrician. He recommended that seventy wooden poles supporting wiring be replaced, and that cluster light standards be repainted.

During the year the replacement of globes, cable renewals and repairs cost $1,328.39.

Mr. McMicking reported that traffic signals operated without interruption. Centre suspended lights had been installed on Yates Street and Quadra Street to illuminate dark portions. Plans called for similar lights on Pandora Avenue, between Cook Street and the Oak Bay Junction.

ST. MARY'S TROOP

A well-attended meeting of the St. Mary's Scouts was held on Friday evening. Following a period of games, second class instruction in compass, signalling and first aid took place, also first class signalling. B. Byng passed his tenderfoot tests; W. Moore and R. Knight passed their Scout's pace. After a session of sign drills, R. Prior was invested as a Scout. A guest during the evening was P. Saxton White, of the Oak Bay Sea Scouts. The next meeting will be held at the Oak Bay Fire Hall, where instruction in fireman's badge work will be given. Scouts are asked to bring pencils and notebooks.

FIRST CATHEDRAL TROOP

Robin Wood, deputy patrol leader, opened the meeting of the First Cathedral Troop on Friday evening. After inspection, a Morse code inspection was held to test the boys' memories. A period of marching followed, which was held to prepare the boys for the visit of Their Majesties the King and Queen. Instruction was given to different groups in tenderfoot and second class work. The honor pennant was won by the Eagle Patrol for the month of January. Duty patrol for next week will be in the hands of the Hawk Patrol. On February 10, at 7 p.m., a meeting will be held at the Crystal Garden in place of the regular meeting. A card party will be held on February 20 at the home of Mrs. S. MacPhee, 320 Moss Street, at 8 p.m. Further information can be secured by telephoning E 4992. Boys wishing to join the troop are asked to attend at headquarters, Burdett Avenue, on Friday.

NORTH QUADRA SCOUTS

The meeting of the North Quadra Troop was opened on Friday night by Duty Patrol Leader Jack Graham of the Cougar Patrol. Following inspection, instruction in patrol corner was the order. Two games were played. Jack Graham, Bob Gorst and Walter Rolls received their carpenter's badge. Lou Coray was awarded his second class badge. The patrol competition for the month was won by the Cougar Patrol. Duty patrol next week will be the Lion Patrol.

FIRST CADBORO BAY SEA SCOUT TROOP

The meeting of the First Cadboro Bay Sea Scout Troop on Friday was opened at 7:15 p.m. with flag break. The Sandpiper Patrol was duty patrol, and the Sea Lion Patrol next for duty. Inspection was held after flag break. The troop then enjoyed some "cock-fighting." The acting scoutmaster gave the troop instruction on seamanship, which was followed by Scoutmaster Bardsley taking the second-class Scouts on first-class work, while Bob Bardsley took the tenderfoot Scouts on second-class signaling.

PUZZLING

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"What's that?"

"How the astronomers learned the names of the blame stars."

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Peter Tells About Mrs. Quack

—By THORNTON W. BURGESS—

To get things done if you'll but try,
You'll always find there is a way.
What you yourself can't do alone
The chances are another may.

When Peter Rabbit was once more safely back in the dear Old Brier Patch he told Mrs. Peter all about poor Mrs. Quack and her troubles. Then for a long, long time he sat in a brown study. A brown study, you know, is sitting perfectly still and thinking very hard. That was what Peter did. He sat so still that if you had happened along you probably would have thought him asleep. But he wasn't asleep. No, indeed. He was just thinking and thinking. He was trying to think of some way to help Mrs. Quack. At last he gave a little sigh of disappointment.

"It can't be done," said he. "There isn't any way."

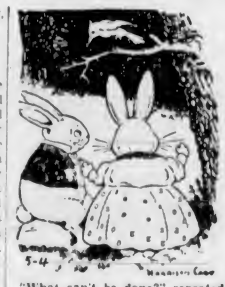
"What can't be done?" demanded a voice right over his head.

Peter looked up. There sat Sammy Jay. Peter had been thinking so hard that he hadn't seen Sammy arrive.

"What can't be done?" repeated Sammy. "There isn't anything that can't be done. There are plenty of things that you can't do, but what you can't do someone else can. Just tuck that fact away in that empty head of yours and never say can't." You know Sammy dearly loves to tease Peter.

Peter made a good-natured face at Sammy. "Which means, I suppose, that what I can't do you can. You always did have a pretty good opinion of yourself, Sammy," said he.

"Nothing of the kind," retorted Sammy. "I simply mean that nobody can do everything and that very often two heads are better than one. It struck me that you had something on your mind and I thought I might be able to help you get rid of it. But, of course, if you don't want my help, supposing I could and would give it to you, that is an end of the matter, and I guess I'll be on my way. The Old Brier Patch is rather a dull place anyway."



"What can't be done?" repeated Sammy

Peter started to make a sharp retort, but thought better of it. Instead he replied mildly, "I was just trying to think of some way to help poor Mrs. Quack."

"Help Mrs. Quack!" exclaimed Sammy in surprise. "Where under the sun did you get acquainted with Mrs. Quack? What's the matter with her? She always has looked to me quite able to defend herself."

"Well, she isn't. That is, she needs others to help her just now," replied Peter, "and I've been most thinking my head off trying to find a way to help her." Then he told Sammy how he had met Mrs. Quack at the Smiling Pool and how terrible her long journey up from the sunny Southland had been, and how Mr. Quack had been shot by a hunter with a terrible gun, and how poor Mrs. Quack was quite heartbroken, and how she had gone over to the Big River to look for him, but didn't dare go near the places where he might be hiding if he were still alive and hurt so that he couldn't fly, and how cruel and terribly unfair were the men with terrible guns, and all the other things he had learned from Mrs. Quack.

Sammy listened with his head cocked on one side, and for once he didn't interrupt Peter or try to tease him or make fun of him. In fact, as Peter looked up at him he could see that Sammy was very serious and thoughtful and that the more he heard of Mrs. Quack's story the more thoughtful he looked. When Peter finished Sammy flew down a little nearer to Peter.

"I beg your pardon for saying your head is empty, Peter," said he. "Your heart is right, anyway. Of course there isn't anything you can do to help Mrs. Quack, but as I told you in the beginning what you can't do others can. Now I don't say that I can help Mrs. Quack, but I can try. I believe I'll do a little thinking myself."

So Sammy Jay in his turn went into a brown study, and Peter watched him anxiously and a little hopefully.

Next story: Sammy Jay's Plan to Help Mrs. Quack.

Do you think he's going to give her anything for Christmas?"

I guess so. He's still calling on her.

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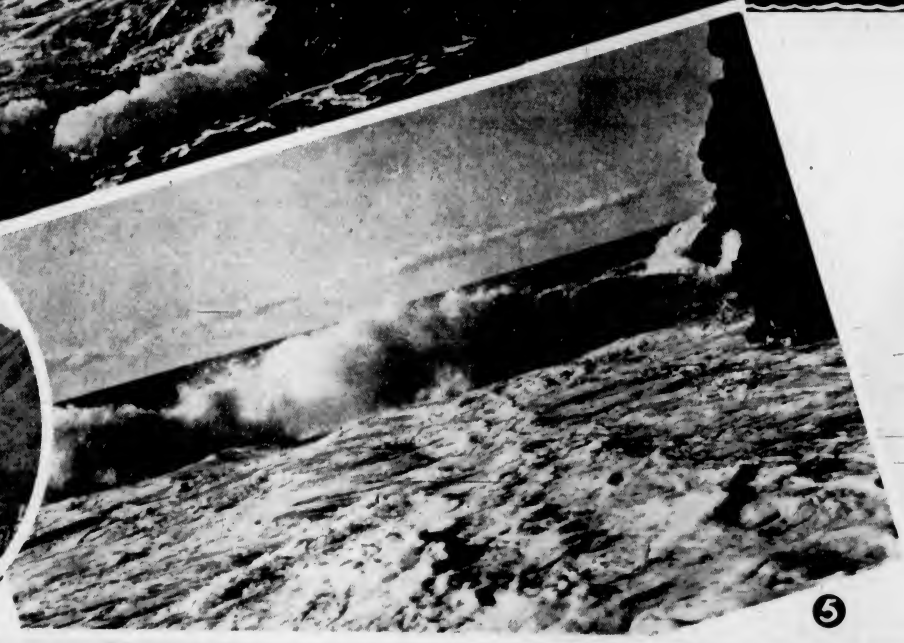
BRITISH COLUMBIA'S *Ocean* PLAYGROUND



1.—Execution Rock, near Bamfield.
2.—The rocky, treacherous shoreline.
3.—Characteristic scenery in suggested park
4.—Map of Ocean Park
5.—Mighty West Coast breakers.
6.—Rugged country, with Sarita Lake in left foreground.
7.—Chewat and Doobah Lakes in foreground Nitinat Lake in middle distance.
—Photos Nos. 1, 2 and 5 by courtesy of R. B. Scott. Photos Nos. 3, 6 and 7, courtesy of the B.C. Typographic Survey. Map of park drawn by C. L. Harrison.

By W. I. FLETCHER

VANCOUVER Island—"The Tourist Paradise"—how often have we heard this beautiful country with its mighty mountains, rolling valleys, matchless timbers and sparkling streams and lakes, referred to in catch phrases as the above? And yet the surface of this beauty has hardly been scraped! A modern highway wends its way up the Eastern Coast of the Island, unfolding many beautiful and historical spots for the edification of tourist and native alike, but it is the West Coast that will hold the spotlight of a future attraction if action is taken now, before it is too late!

What could be more attractive than a motor loop starting at Victoria, traveling up the West Coast through stands of virgin timber, thence along the Alberni Canal to Alberni, and joining there with the East Coast highway? One might pause to ask is there any particular attraction for me on this proposed loop?

There is only one answer—seven hundred square miles of country containing scenery and attractions rivaling those of any natural park in this wide world. We will deal with these beauties later, but first for the location of this tract.

The park itself would include the territory south of the mouth of the Alberni Canal and extend down to Port San Juan. The Pacific Ocean would form the western boundary and the E. & N. Railway grant, from Franklin and China Creeks, the eastern.

Building the Road

IN order to reach this paradise let us take a mythical motor trip from Port San Juan, north of Port Renfrew, to Bamfield, thence up the Alberni Canal to Alberni. But perhaps before we commence, let us realize that the route from Jordan River to Port San Juan should not follow the sea. Firstly, because such a route would not show the Pacific Ocean; secondly, because it is an expensive location unless construction were carried out further inland; and thirdly, because the beaches are not nearly as fine as those north of Port San Juan. Let this southern section, therefore, be passed quickly and economically, which means a road located along that easy route, where the present trail is located, which would entail practically no rock cutting, with drainage the main requirement.

From Port San Juan we make a short cut from the head of the harbor to the coast, going behind the trap mountain on its northerly shore. The Pacific Ocean proper can now be seen for the first time. The end of the Olympic Peninsula is also visible and the mouth of the Strait of Juan de Fuca. At night lights of ships going to and fro through this opening, fifteen miles wide, shine below. The entire steamer traffic from Victoria, Nanaimo and up-Island points, Vancouver, New Westminster, Seattle and all Sound ports, to the rest of the world, passes through this entrance.

Forest and Stream

FOLLOWING the shore, the grade is easy—grubbing is the chief work. We pass stream after stream—they seem endless—many assume the proportions of rivers. The altitude is low, not exceeding about 400 feet. Beaches of fine, white sand fall behind, as we are swallowed up by a giant forest, chiefly of spruce. It rivals the great redwoods of California. In this district an area of about sixty acres in extent is every tree known to British Columbia with the exception of the tamarac. They are giants that typify the once forest greatness of Vancouver Island. Cathedral Grove and other such sectors are dwarfed in comparison with these mighty timbers.

From this timber wonderland we travel north until the mouth of the Nitinat River is reached. Here, indeed, is an interesting sight. The mouth is tidal and the rock sides on part of the route to the sea are impressive as the swirling waters rush to the Pacific. Just in sight is the ocean foaming over the river bar. It is dangerous—many small ships have suffered disaster on it—but from the land it is a magnificent sight. Its width is no obstacle, as it is only a matter of about 120 feet, and a location exists where a wooden bridge could easily span it and at a height sufficient to allow any vessel that can enter to proceed in safety. Nitinat Lake itself is about fourteen miles long.

Nearing Bamfield

AFTER crossing, the coast is followed once again. The altitude is low and continues so right up to the main objective, Bamfield. On this route we pass the beautiful river and falls of the Tsusiat—about seventy feet wide, and falling some eighty feet into the Pacific. The river is short, flowing from a lake of the same name. With a few portages it is possible to cover a chain of lakes, including Tsusiat, Squallicam and by the Habiton River to Nitinat Lake—here, incidentally, a wide circle has almost been made that has included the finest stand of timber in the British Empire, and perhaps in the whole world.

Our route also passes the Klanawah, a lazy river, near the headwaters of which roam elk, or wapiti, as they did countless generations ago—and Pachena Bay, one of the most beautiful stretches of sand Vancouver Island possesses, stretching to the sea. The river of the same name flows into the northwest corner of the bay. This is the territory inhabited by the otter.

From Pachena Bay the West Coast highway would cut straight through to Bamfield Creek, where scores of fishing boats ride at anchor, and on the outer part of the creek the cable station stands with its settlement of some two or three hundred persons.

Since the route would short-cut the peninsula, it might be well, in passing, to note some of the attractions of this body of land. The country is of low altitude and heavy in its forest growth. We find Trout Lake, teeming with fish, like the other rivers and lakes on the way from Port San Juan. This peninsula is almost surrounded by beaches, from the river emptying Trout Lake around to Bamfield Creek.

Birds of the Sea

BETWEEN glistening stretches of white sand there are rocks and reefs where the ceaseless ocean roars and foams, giv-

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Night and Morning

By Harry Klingsberg

JUNE afternoon sun came through orange blinds and flooded the board room of the Byron Corporation, but there was no cheer in the faces of the five men who sat there. It was four-thirty, and they had been there for an hour, discussing their crisis.

At the head of the table sat William Byron, president-treasurer, a small, quiet man with grey eyes; and facing him, like figures on a clock, the other directors: Secretary Wilkins, Vice-President Murdock, Crosby and Werthelmer.

"Gentlemen," said William Byron, "we shall need fifty thousand dollars."

Bickering broke out among the directors. Two men in particular seemed anxious to show themselves blameless in the company's predicament.

Horace Murdock barked: "We should never have bought the multimatic. Twenty thousand dollars! And this new building! What was wrong with our old place?"

George Wilkins said mildly: "But we needed more room——"

"More room! Maybe you can pay the bank with it! But our worst mistake was buying the Beverly plant. Expansion! With a hundred thousand of the bank's money. I was against it. Crosby will bear me out."

Werthelmer said hotly: "Then why did you both vote for it? You both voted for it."

Crosby put in: "We wanted to go along with the majority."

"Fiddlesticks! Beverly was a bargain and you know it. In one year——"

"One year!" Murdock's black eyes gleamed. "Do you realize the bank wants its money? In one month we might be under the hammer."

Fists waved. They seemed ready to fly at each other. The cool voice of their president stopped them. "Gentlemen, we shall need fifty thousand dollars."

Back in his own office, slumped a little in his chair, the confidence in William Byron's face faded slowly. He seemed now like a worried old man in his fifties.

It was a simple thing to say, "We shall need fifty thousand dollars." Where was the money to come from? Last March, when the loan was placed, he had had every reason to believe the bank would permit gradual amortization, but with the formal notice two days ago had come a polite letter requesting at least half the principal. Something must have happened to make them a little wary of the company. Of course, he could go there, plead with them. But he was very much afraid that it wouldn't do any good.

Or he might go to his wife. She had fifty thousand dollars in government bonds which he had given her five years ago. He would explain to her that the company's embarrassment was temporary and in six months, when the Beverly plant began to function properly, she could have the money.

And he was very much afraid that she too would refuse to do it.

A YEAR ago the company had been doing well, getting its share of the reduction gear business, carrying a nice balance. Expansion, Murdock had sneered. But the Beverly plant across the river in Long Island was a bargain; everybody said so. It was buying out a rival, and the inventory alone, finished product and metal, was worth twice the money paid for it. A curious thing about Murdock and Crosby. True, they had voiced precautions, but in the voting they had gone along with the rest. It almost seemed they were glad to see the company involve itself.

No, he shouldn't be thinking that. Any mistake was his responsibility. Still, he wished there were a way of testing the loyalty of these men.

Abruptly his thoughts changed. He stood up and walked across his office to a window. He saw, not Third Avenue below him and spires and roof-tops beyond, but himself, twenty-five years ago in a Massachusetts village.

Lately—perhaps because the Beverly plant was in just such a town—he had been thinking a lot of those few years when he was a young husband and father in the little suburb of Boston. Happiness seemed always in reach then. Simple wants, simple tasks, simple pleasures—it seemed the essence and perfection of living.

Then came promotion and, later, New York; life became different entirely. Gone with the years the fun of little things—building shelves or hanging pictures, or planning meals together in the kitchen. Gone altogether simple contentment.

William wished wistfully that sometimes he might spend just one day like that.

Well, he mustn't stand there mooning. Tonight he would speak to Julia, and if that failed he would go to the bank. Not tomorrow, because on Wednesdays he always went to Beverly. Anyway, the note wasn't due for several days yet.

In the Johnson family, too, the crisis was financial. Two months ago Mrs. Johnson had had her first baby. It was a hard case. Ellen had to spend over a month in the hospital. The hundred and fifty dollars laid aside for the purpose proved sadly inadequate and Jim had to borrow two hundred dollars from a Shylock. He had missed a couple of weeks and now the Shylock wanted all of his money.

They were on their porch after dinner, talking about it; in the near dusk Ellen's face still showed her pallor. Jim's young pointed features were worried and set.

Her eyes were brooding. She said, "Do you expect to see Mr. Byron tomorrow?"

"Yes, honey. He always comes on Wednesdays. Why?"

She said, "You could ask him for the money. He's rich. He'd never miss it."

"He's got his own troubles these days. It's costing him a fortune to put the plant in shape."

"Then two hundred dollars wouldn't mean anything to him. His wife must spend that much for a dress, and we have to worry where the baby's food is coming from——"

She said, rising, "The baby's crying." She walked into the house.

Jim Johnson did not follow his wife inside; he wanted a few minutes to think. There was something he hadn't told Ellen: the Shylock was threatening to put the sheriff on him.

Ellen wasn't herself at all—like telling him, for instance, to ask Mr. Byron for the money. Suppose he said no. And suppose he said, too, "I'm sorry, but I can't employ anyone who lives beyond his means"—no, he couldn't do it. But he had to do something. Ellen ought to have help and see a doctor too.

WILLIAM Byron came out of his Madison Avenue apartment. He dismissed his chauffeur. "Never mind, Charles. I'll go by train."

Walking to the station he was not very cheerful. Last night he had spoken to Julia and she had turned him down. This money, she pointed out, was a nest egg, not to be risked in his business. It was a protection for their son, just setting up a law practice.

He had not argued with her, though he had been tempted to say then that no one had protected him when he was his son's age. Perhaps, after all, she was right. Still, twenty years ago, he remembered, when he first came to New York and he needed money for a dress suit (it was a question of keeping up appearances—a young executive had certain obligations) he came home one night and found that she had pawned her engagement ring; and she had altered an old dress and they had gone to the party.

He walked into the terminal and went to his train. He really looked forward to these trips. Aside from the problems in the plant, the attractive little town appealed to him. That was why he had decided to go by train today, so he could enjoy the ten-minute walk to the plant.

The sign over the station said Beverly. William left the train and turned into a street lined with pleasant little cottages. It was then the young woman came out of the house, wheeling a coach, and as soon as he saw her he realized something was wrong. She was pale and thin, and shouldn't have been out in the June sun at all. She got as far as the gate and suddenly went limp; she passed a hand over her eyes and seemed ready to fall.

Moving quickly, William went through the gate and supported her with an arm. She murmured, "I thought I'd take a walk——"

"No walks for you, young lady. You're going right back into the house." Pulling the coach behind him, he helped her inside. He left the baby near the door and brought her to a couch. He made her lie down and took off her shoes and loosened the buckle at her waist.

She passed a hand over her eyes and seemed ready to fall.

She came to a little. "The baby. He——"

"Now don't you worry about the baby. Don't you worry about anything." He put a cushion under her head. "Is there anyone you'd like me to call? A neighbor——"

But she didn't hear him. She was asleep.

He looked down at her. Just a slip of a girl, brown hair and long brown lashes, twenty-one or twenty-two. Must have had a hard time with the baby, judging from her appearance. He walked to the door and wheeled the coach to a shady side of the room. He drew aside the netting and stared at the fat little sleeping face.

He said, "You little devil, I hope you're worth it."

He went back to the girl. Ought he to call a doctor—somebody? He listened to her breathing. There was no danger; she slept like a child. Besides, there seemed no telephone in the house.

He looked around. The morning housework was still undone, but everything was pretty and neat. This girl's husband, he guessed, must be some young chap earning maybe thirty dollars a week, finding it hard to make ends meet, but happy and proud just the same. And for an instant he had the illusion that he was the young husband and this his house in a suburb.

HE had the table cleared and the dishes washed and was admiring his work when the baby began to cry. He went to the living-room. The girl was stirring, trying to get up. He said, "Is it his feeding time? It's eleven o'clock."

"Yes. I'll get him a bottle out of the refrigerator——"

"No, don't you get up. I'll get it."

"You have to heat it——"

"Of course," said William. He found the bottle and warmed it, tested the milk on his wrist and brought it to the baby.

The girl's half-opened eyes wandered to the dining-room. "Why, the table is cleared. Did you do it?"

He grinned at her. "Maybe."

"But I shouldn't be keeping you. Do you live in town?"

"No, in New York. I work at the Beverly plant."

"Oh. Then you must know Jimmy—Jimmy Johnson. I'm Ellen Johnson."

"Of course I know him. He works in the office. I'm—my name is William."

"But aren't you shouldn't you be there?"

"Nobody will miss me. I'm an old employee with special privileges. Now, Ellen, you can't stay here by yourself today. Would you like me to call Jimmy?"

"No, no. Please don't call him. I'll be all right."

"In that case I'll stay here a while longer. Do you mind?"

"Well, just for a minute, and then I'll get up." Suddenly fatigue overcame her. "I feel so tired——" And in a moment her eyes closed again.

And then the baby fell asleep. William sat down in an armchair and watched them both. And somehow he, too, felt content as a lord.

It was eleven o'clock when Mr. Adams, the plant manager, began to wonder what was keeping Mr. Byron. He said to Jim Johnson, busy over an adding machine, "Wasn't he due this morning?"

"Why, yes. He always comes on Wednesdays."

"Call them up," said the plant manager.

So Jim called New York and got Mr. Wilkins on the wire. The secretary was startled. "Do you mean to say he's not there?"

"No," said Jim; and he was rather relieved, for this morning the idea of walking up to Mr. Byron and asking him for two hundred dollars didn't sound good to him at all.

In the New York office, Wilkins hung up thoughtfully. But perhaps Mr. Byron just wasn't feeling well. He decided to call up Mrs. Byron.

She said, "He left as usual this morning. Did you call Beverly?"

"Yes, I did."

Wilkins hung up, worried. He decided it was his duty to notify the directors. They gathered at once. Wilkins gave them the news. They discussed the situation awhile and then Murdock came out with it: "Have you stopped to consider that he might be gone—disappeared?"

THE others gasped. "What kind of nonsense is that?" demanded Werthiemer. "Mr. Byron would never do such a thing."

"No? Think it over. The company's in a hole. I happen to know he has money of his own. Why, he may be on his way out of the country by now. Come on, Crosby."

"Just a moment, you two. Where are you going?"

"Where are we going? That's our business, isn't it?"

They walked out, and fifteen minutes later sat in the office of a lawyer.

Thin, tricky little Adrian Meecham greeted them. "How does it? What's new?"

"Plenty," said Murdock. "Listen, is that party ready with the cash?"

"Sure, any time. Why? Did the bank demand all their money?"

"Not yet," said Murdock, "but I'll bet they do it now. Byron's gone—disappeared." Meecham was skeptical.

"Maybe he's at the bank."

The vice-president muttered: "I didn't think of that. Well' I'll find out."

"No, I'll talk to them. . . . Hello, hello. Give me the treasurer, please. . . . Is Mr William Byron there? . . . He hasn't been there? Well, he didn't show up here this morning, and he's not in Beverly either, so we thought maybe he was with you."

He hung up. "Get it? With the couple of little rumors we've started already, this will make them more suspicious. He wants Byron to call him—probably they will demand all their money or sue, in which case my party is ready to buy the business."

"In that case, it's understood I'm to be president and Crosby here secretary?"

"That's the arrangement, isn't it? Now I got another idea. What's the number of the Beverly plant? . . . Hello, hello. Is Mr. Byron there? . . . Who's speaking, please?" He cupped a hand over the mouthpiece. "Who's this Johnson?"

"He works in the office. He takes care of the inventory."

"Talk to him," said the lawyer. "Tell him you want him in New York with the March inventory records."

Murdock took the telephone. "Johnson? This is Mr. Murdock. Bring your March inventory records to New York at three o'clock." He hung up. "What's the idea?"

"This Johnson," asked Meecham. "Married? Single? How much does he make?"

"Thirty-five dollars. He's married, I think—yes, I'm sure of it. But——"

"It's like this," said the lawyer. "Maybe Byron disappeared and maybe he didn't." He looked up a number. "Hello, Evening Press? Give me the city desk. . . . City editor? Here's a little tip for you. William Byron, president of Byron Corporation, Third Avenue near Fortieth Street. Disappeared. Got that? That's all. Goodbye."

Over at the Press, Editor Ryan passed his memorandum to a reporter. "Tom, run this down. Find out what it's all about."

THE last luncheon of the season of the Wednesday Club was due at Julia Byron's today, and at twelve-thirty she escorted the ladies to her dining-room. She smiled graciously, concealing the worry that gnawed at her.

This morning, after Wilkins called, she thought: "I have a nerve, refusing to let him have his own money."

The ladies ate their lunch and discussed a new book, "How to Be Friendly Though Married." Mutuality in tastes was the basis. And diversity.

Some favored one theory and some the other; and then one of them said, "Julia, what do you think?"

"I think the only friendly couples are those who are broke."

They all laughed. Then the maid came in and whispered to Julia, and she stood up and said, "Will you excuse me, please? I'll be right back."

Tom Smith, waiting for her, came to the point promptly. "Can you tell us where your husband is, Mrs. Byron?"

"What do you mean? Who are you?"

"I'm from the Press. Over at his office they don't know where he is. Do you know?"

She must look at him calmly. "Of course I know. He's in Philadelphia. On personal business."

"Thank you," said the reporter and walked out. He said to his editor: "She says he's in Philadelphia. I guess he forgot to tell his office."

"O. K.," grunted Ryan. "Forget it."

Julia went back to her luncheon. A half-hour later she sat before a surprised official of the Chatham National Bank and laid fifty thousand dollars in bonds on his desk. "Mr. Byron," she explained, "must have forgotten to take them this morning. He didn't go to his office today."

"Yes, Mrs. Byron." The treasurer handed her a receipt in an envelope. "This is very satisfactory."

It was nearly one o'clock when Ellen woke up. She opened her eyes and rubbed them and stared at William. "Did I sleep long?"

"One hour and thirty-five minutes. So did the baby."

He helped her get lunch. It seemed as though they had been friends for years. Suddenly she remembered something. "I must go out and telephone Jimmy. Last night I told him to ask Mr. Byron for two hundred dollars. I don't know what made me do it—why, Mr. Byron might discharge him."

He said, "Don't you worry. I happen to know Mr. Byron and he wouldn't do anything of the sort."

There was something so kindly and sympathetic about him that she felt no hesitancy at all in telling him about the crisis in the Johnson family.

"Last night," she confided, "I felt so bad I didn't care what happened. I thought of Mr. Byron, rich and all the money he wanted—that's why I said that to Jimmy. But I don't feel that way now because—because of what you did."

He was touched. "It might make you feel better if I told you that Mr. Byron has his troubles too. I happen to know that he needs fifty thousand dollars and has no idea where to get it."

Her eyes widened. "Fifty thousand dollars! Then maybe Jimmy shouldn't bother him."

"No, don't you stop him. Jimmy will see." And it did his heart good to see the worry disappear from her eyes.

IT was almost three o'clock when it occurred to William that he might be missed at the plant. When he left he said, "You know, last night I was wishing that I could spend a day just like this."

He arrived at the plant ten minutes later. Mr. Adams looked at him curiously, but said nothing. William looked around. "Where's Johnson? Isn't he here?"

"Why, no. He left at two-thirty. Mr. Murdock wanted to see him."

"Murdock? Did he say why?"

"No. He phoned him to bring the March inventory records."

"H'm," remarked William. "I think I'll go back to New York."

Two hundred bucks, two hundred bucks—it was like the click of the local that took Jim Johnson to New York. He was sorry now that Mr. Byron hadn't showed up today. If he saw him now he'd walk up to him and say, quick to get it over with, "Listen, Mr. Byron——"

He forced the thought out of his mind. Why, he wondered, had they sent for him?

Entering the New York office, he was conscious of confusion and excitement. Nobody was working—they just stood around whispering. Jim gave his name to the girl at the switchboard and a few minutes later Mr. Murdock appeared. "Johnson, let me have those records, please. Wait here." He took the papers and left him.

A half hour passed. Jim saw a woman come in, hand something to the girl and walk out again. It was Mr. Byron's wife. He knew it because the girl said, "Yes, Mrs. Byron, I'll give it to him the moment he comes in."

Then Murdoch came ought again and took him to a private office. Murdock said, "Johnson, this is Mr. Meecham."

The little lawyer was very friendly. "Sit down, Johnson. We were just talking about you. You've worked at the Beverly plant five years, haven't you?"

"Yes, sir."

A foxy little bird, this Meecham. Asked questions and got answers, but he could read a lot you didn't tell him. "Wife and baby, eh? Bet you're broke and need money."

The lawyer said, "You know that Mr. Byron didn't show up today?"

"Yes, so I heard."

"We have reason to believe that he isn't coming back. But that's not why we called you. You made up the inventory last March, didn't you?"

"Yes, sir."

"We happen to know that it was a fraud. Oh, not due to you—Mr. Byron had you make the changes to falsify the price to the company. For instance, this item. Eighty thousand pounds of castings at fifty cents. There wasn't nearly that in the place."

Jim flushed. "That's not true. It was all there."

The lawyer said quietly, "You don't seem to understand."

"Yes, I do. You want to pin something on Mr. Byron—make him a crook."

Now the lawyer wasn't friendly any more. His voice had poison in it. "No you don't understand. Mr. Byron is gone. The new management may not feel very kindly toward any employee who isn't friendly to them. Now do you understand?"

Jim wet his lips. "I get it. What do you want me to do?"

"That's better," said the lawyer. "I want you to sign this paper. Read it."

JIM read it. It was an affidavit that Mr. Byron had told him to falsify the inventory — changes amounting to over forty thousand dollars. The lawyer's smooth voice went on. "We don't expect this for nothing, Johnson. There's two hundred dollars in it for you. You could use two hundred dollars, couldn't you?"

Two hundred bucks. There it was in the lawyer's hands. All of it.

The lawyer coaxed: "Here's a pen. Just sign that and the money is yours."

Two hundred bucks. What the devil? They said Byron was gone, didn't they? What difference did it make? And he had to protect his job, didn't he? All he had to do was put his name to that paper and his worries would be over.

He reached for the pen. And then suddenly he stood up and flung the pen on the table. "You're all wrong, Mister. What would I do with two hundred dollars?"

And just then William Byron walked into the office.

He stood there and his eyes seemed to take in everything: the cash in the lawyer's hand, Jim standing there. He picked up the paper and read it. Then he said, "Wait for me, Johnson. I want to see you."

Jim walked out. He heard Mr. Byron say, and there was cold steel in his voice: "Come to my office, gentlemen. I want to talk to you."

It was odd, thought William Byron later, the unexpected turns life took. Only yesterday he had wondered whether there was treachery among the directors, and now, by a totally unrelated act, he had found out. It was all taken care of; he had their resignations on his desk and there would be a complete reorganization. But ever more important and heart-warming was the discovery of loyalty of his own wife in a crisis, and of an employee—a thirty-five-dollar-a-week employee.

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Bounty Model in Museum

THE mutiny in Captain Bligh's ship, The Bounty, has been so popularized in film and fiction that it is feared the purpose of the voyage may have been forgotten. A model of the ship has therefore been added to the Royal United Service Museum in Whitehall.

The Bounty, a merchant ship, was taken over by the Admiralty in 1787 to transport bread fruit trees to the West Indies in order to increase the food supply for the plantation slaves. Racks were fitted to hold the pots of seedlings, and extra gratings were introduced to provide plenty of air. The model is shown without the upper deck to reveal these arrangements, with the pots in place.

The part of the ship used for the plants was called "the garden" in the Admiralty correspondence with Deptford Yard, where The Bounty was fitted out. Space was allowed for 774 pots, 39 tubs and 24 boxes, and 1,015 seedlings were transported. Bligh took great interest in the trees and reported that after embarking, he landed again to replace "one that was dead and several that were a little sickly."

An Odyssey of the North

AN Odyssey of a lonely sea-girt and ice-bound Northland of which people in British Columbia hear little is the story told by Mrs. Kate M. Keddie, industrial supervisor for Labrador under the International Grenfell Association, who is spending part of an eight-months' furlough with friends here.

It is the first time she has been "out" since she went into Labrador more than seven years ago to redeem a childhood promise made to Sir Wilfred Grenfell, founder of the association. When her father was chief factor at Rigolet, Labrador, she promised Sir Wilfred that she would some time give a year of her life to the work in which he was so profoundly interested. Since she went into the rugged Northland country she has traveled in the heart of Winter more than 14,000 miles by dog team to visit the homes of the lonely trappers and fisher folk, has learned to love them, and in a few months will be returning to resume her teaching among them.

The picture on the left shows Mrs. Keddie crossing one of the big Bays by dog-team during one of her long Winter trips to inspect the handicrafts made by the trappers back in the bleak snow-clad country. The sledge is called a "Kometick." The centre picture shows the little cottage at Cartwright, Labrador, in which Mrs. Keddie, industrial supervisor for the International Grenfell Association at Labrador, lives. The picture on the right shows a typical family of "Liveyeres," or Labrador inhabitants, outside their dwelling. These children are now at Lockwood School, Cartwright.

Sir Wilfred

THE International Grenfell Association was founded by Sir Wilfred Grenfell among the fisher folk of the North Sea. Later he drifted West to Labrador, became interested in the people, and ultimately went "down North," as it is termed by those who live there, and became so completely identified with the country and its people that "Grenfell" and "Labrador" are now almost synonomous in the minds of many. Dr. Grenfell built the present five hospitals and seven nursing stations which constitute a major part of the association's work in Labrador.

The industrial school work is associated with this, but at the same time a completely different phase of the activities. As industrial supervisor Mrs. Keddie has charge of the teaching of industrial handicrafts, designed for the purpose of supplementing the often pathetically meagre livelihood of the Labrador fisher folk. Knitting, bead work, embroidery, basketry, doll making, wood and ivory carving, mats and tailoring are among the subjects taught.

"The people," she says, "are natural tailors, and are now specializing in the manufacture of ski garments, of Grenfell cloth, which are becoming popular both in Eastern Canada and Europe. This year they are branching out into spinning and weaving." While she is in Victoria Mrs. Keddie is taking lessons in weaving so that she can the better teach this subject when she returns to Labrador.

Teaching Handicrafts

THE work, she explained, is carefully planned. In the Autumn the orders are received from Montreal and the association headquarters at St. Anthony, Newfoundland. Once the requirements are known the work is apportioned out to the natives. As in the Summer time they are nearly all at the fishing grounds, nothing can be done in working at handicrafts then. But about October, when they have all left the coastline and have gone up the "bays" for the Winter, the distribution of the handicraft materials and orders begins.

The move inland was explained. Trapping is the chief Winter occupation of the people, and to carry this on successfully they have to move from the barren coastline inland, where there is more wood and more game. Unfortunately forest fires which followed the advent of the white man many years ago drove the deer and game, on which the natives are terribly dependent for their meat supply, from vast belts of land. Today the people were often hard pressed for food.

Trek by Sled

THE visiting of the vast snowbound "parish" and the teaching of the widely-scattered natives is an epic of the North. Mrs. Keddie tells the story as if it were the most common everyday incident, but between the lines one senses the picture of cold, blizzards, long bleak lonely stretches of country, that it represents in character, almost incredible hardihood, resourcefulness, courage, and physical endurance, as well as in profound devotion to a cause and love for her fellow-beings.

The handicraft materials are distributed up the "bays" by motorboat in the early Autumn. In January, when the "bays" are thickly frozen over with ice, Mrs. Keddie sets forth by dog sled to visit the scattered homes. She has a team of ten dogs, driven by an Eskimo or half-breed. The journey ranges from 1,800 to 2,000 miles, according to the number of homes to be visited, and lasts from January to April.

The conditions are hard. The native homes are extremely primitive, rarely of more than one room, in which the entire family lives, cooks, eats, works and sleeps. The temperatures out-of-doors often go down to 30 degrees below zero. Mrs. Keddie carries a sleeping bag, and at night rolls up in this and sleeps on the floor beside the kitchen stove, like the rest of the family. The dogs, hardened to cold, curl up outside in their harness.

A Welcome Visitor

IN order that their trap lines shall not cross, the trappers live far apart, so that it is sometimes a long journey from house to house to supervise the work. Mrs. Keddie has to make alterations required and also breaks in new workers as she goes along. For the commercial market definite standards of workmanship have to be maintained, and this is one of the problems she has to deal with, although the natives co-operate splendidly.

She is the only white woman in all that vast land who travels up and down the country, so she has to decide many problems quite outside her own special field as she visits these poor homes—such, for instance, as the feeding and nursing of babies, the treatment of cuts and broken bones, the care of fever cases. None of the people have radios, newspapers or mail service, so she always has to supply them as best she can with the very latest war news and information about other world events. As she is often weeks, months, away from her own sources of information, she sometimes feels that the news is stale.

Speaking of this, Mrs. Keddie was reminded that last year a local Cartwright paper, called The Cartwriter, had been brought out. Published twice monthly on a mimeograph machine, this gives a resume of the news in simple form, also a "health talk" by the nurse, a few simple recipes, a "patter" column, and a continued story. Distributed to the outlying districts, this is very popular.

Hospitable People

REVERTING again to her long Winter trek by dog sled, Mrs. Keddie said that the Labrador people were noted for their hospitality. Primitive and bare as their homes are, the moment anyone was seen approaching the kettle would be put on and the visitor would be offered the very best the home afforded. This usually consisted of tea, bread and molasses. Meat (reindeer, rabbit or seal) was eaten when available, but often the supply was very meagre indeed, owing to the failure of the traps.

Cartwright's latitude is about the same as that of Prince Rupert. But it is an infinitely colder and bleaker coast. The people, Eskimo, Algonquin Indian, white and "mixed," are of different stock and are traditionally fisher folk and trappers. The mode and conditions of life are more uniformly primitive.

The "Liveyeres"

MRS. Keddie explained the origin of the curious title "Liveyeres," which is what the people of Labrador call themselves. It simply means "Live heres" or "We live here." The settlement of Cartwright derives its name from Major George Cartwright, an Englishman who in the eighteenth century spent some time on the Labrador Coast. He found it settled almost entirely by Eskimos and roving Indians, and thought it would be a good thing to take out some English settlers. The 500 Devonshire people imported found the climate and other conditions far from congenial, and the majority of them left. Those that remained intermarried with the natives and the few French settlers in the South.

Of the 5,000 inhabitants of Labrador today, 273 are Indian, a fair percentage are Eskimo and the remainder are whites or "mixed." The Indians speak Cree, the Eskimos speak Eskimo. The remainder speak English. Occasionally, even after all these generations of separation from the homeland, a family is found with a pure and unadulterated Devonshire accent, hence the "Liveyeres."

The white population are, on the whole, a very fine type, sturdy and self-reliant. The Devonshire origin is sometimes seen in the fair hair and blue eyes. The people are intelligent, and although self-taught are musical and sing well. Further North, among the Moravian missions, there is a brass band. Mrs. Keddie paid passing tribute to the Moravian missions for the splendid work they were doing both for the social and spiritual betterment of their people.

The "Station"

WHEN she arrived at Cartwright seven years ago the station had just been destroyed by fire. The only building to survive was the school, which had to serve as hospital, dormitory for the fifty-two children, and as living quarters for the staff. It was two years before the new buildings were ready.

Today there is a twenty-bed hospital and a boarding school. Both are modern in nearly every detail. The hospital has steam heat, X-ray equipment, and hot and cold water. Called "The Lady Maclay Cottage Hospital," it was the gift to the Grenfell Association from Lord Maclay, of Scotland. The staff comprises a resident medical doctor and one nurse.

The boarding school is a comfortable building. Built of sheeprock, with asbestos wool packing between the walls, it is fireproof, has hot and cold water, and electric light. For nine months of the year it takes care of the children from the very poor fisher and trapper homes of the southern district of Labrador, feeding, clothing and teaching them. There is a house mother, a volunteer worker, who is an artist, and comes from Scotland. The three male teachers board at the school. Mrs. Keddie has her own cottage.

The children, she says, are nice and attentive, and once they get proper food develop into robust boys and girls.

In speaking of the staff, Mrs. Keddie wished to acknowledge and express appreciation of the splendid young people who every Summer went up to Labrador, at their own expense, to give voluntary help in hospital and school. Recruited chiefly from American, English and Scottish colleges, they did any manual work required, shoveling coal, chopping wood, digging trenches, indifferent to heat and flies and showing splendid spirit. Their title, "Wops," means "Without Pay Service." Among the six or eight such volunteers every Summer was a medical student.

Mrs. Keddie, who in Victoria is visiting relatives, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. S. Cotter, Irving Road, is leaving in a few days for the East, and before she returns to Labrador in the late Summer will visit England.

This Week's Best Books

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"Coming Struggle for Latin America," by Carleton Beals. A most timely book, and one that is sure to create a tremendous amount of comment. It is of the utmost value as a source of information that will clear up many of the controversial points of the subject. Carleton Beals lays bare the whole web of international intrigue being wrapped around the countries to the south of us—our Western Hemisphere neighbors. Here is the up-to-the-minute story of the struggle for the rich resources of the twenty Hispanic countries, the drive for trade, for control of raw materials, for military, naval and aerial advantage, the continent-wide Fascist propaganda—all the forces that menace the future peace of the New World and the future security of the United States. This vivid account is based on documented facts, personal investigation and twenty years of first-hand study and travel in Latin America. Within a decade our whole relationship to Latin America has completely altered. Our Government faces tremendous problems in policy and action that never before existed. Our representatives must constantly take new and swift decisions for which we have never had any precedent in all our history. On those decisions may depend the future peace of the Western Hemisphere. This is not an alarmist book, but one of sober fact, brilliantly presented and skilfully analyzed, with the same broad understanding that Mr. Beals displayed last year in his book, "America South."

"Green Worlds," by Maurice Hindus. Maurice Hindus came to this country, a boy of thirteen, from a primitive Russian village. After two years in the confusion of struggling to understand a new world, he fled to the green fields and hills of an American village. There he worked as a farm hand and grew to manhood. Not since Jacob Riis' "The Making of an American" has an immigrant written so stirring an account of his transition from the Old World to the New; but, unlike other autobiographies of this kind, "Green Worlds" deals essentially with the countryside. Not only does he give the reader the story of the two rural worlds as they were when he lived in them, but as they have changed today: one swept and transformed by a violent revolution, the other altered by the no less significant triumph of the machine age. Mr. Hindus is more concerned with others than he is with himself. The people of whom he writes come warmly to life. The book is filled with fascinating contrasts between Russian and American life, folk ways and human relationships. It enriches our understanding of both worlds. In his previous books, particularly "Red Bread" and "Humanity Uprooted," Mr. Hindus has helped to give America a vivid comprehension of the Russian people in revolution. This is his first book on America, and it is perhaps the most significant that he has yet written.

"Mussolini in the Making," by Gaudence Megaro. Here we feel we can claim is the standard and fundamental book on Mussolini's obscure origins and development into a mature political personality. Exhaustive and diligent research, done at great personal risk and despite the vigilance of Fascist Government and police, has enabled the author to present what has hitherto been the "suppressed" material about Il Duce. Exploding a multitude of legends, both Fascist and anti-Fascist, it contains perhaps more authentic information on Mussolini than is to be found in all the books put together about him in all languages. Complementing the author's researches have been his private conversations with prominent Italian figures, including Mussolini, King Victor Emmanuel and several ex-Prime Ministers of Italy, as well as Fascist and anti-Fascist leaders. Set forth with a wealth of newly discovered data is the first authoritative account of the Duce's father, the Duce's experiences as a Socialist agitator, his prison record, his relationship to such figures as Georges Sorel, Nietzsche and Pareto, his expulsion from Switzerland and Austria-Hungary, his attitude on religion, war, militarism, patriotism, nationalism, monarchy, Freemasonry, violence, parliamentary rule, revolutionary strategy, his uncompromising opposition to the Turco-Italian War, the mystery of his meteoric rise to leadership as the Duce of Italian Socialism, the influence of this left-wing apprenticeship upon his leadership of the Fascist movement, his shift from Socialism to Fascism, etc. The volume closes with a unique interpretation of Mussolini's character and personality.

"Golden Guernsey," by Alfred Stuart Campbell. This is the delightful account of a tiny British possession, one of the Channel Islands lying between England and France, whose language is still officially French and whose natural beauty, quaint customs, genuine hospitality and mild climate make it an ideal year-round resort. Its small area maintains a population of forty thousand people and several dozen witches. Yet, strangely enough, few travelers have discovered its spell. French monks came to Guernsey a thousand years ago to show the natives how to fight off pirates. They remained to instruct them in agriculture. From the cattle they introduced and developed the famous Guernsey breed. Gaulish chieftains, Roman legions, privateers, smugglers, have landed on its shores and left traces behind. Privateering and smuggling during the American Revolution founded many an island fortune. Despite automobiles, radios, the cinema, the telephone, and even an air service, Guernsey people still follow feudal customs and are governed by laws dating back to the Middle Ages. Here is the piquant account of an Arcadian land, near yet off the beaten track, which retains the charm belonging to another age.

"Your Home and Mine," by G. Boumphrey. Although this book traces incidentally and with a wealth of fascinating detail the development of human habitations from the pre-caveman's nest in the tree-top to the latest examples of modern house or flat construction, its chief preoccupation is with the present and the future. Our homes, too, are seen as more than just the buildings themselves; their grouping and environment receive equal attention. The tale of our countryside and towns is told from swamp and forest to Iron Age camp, from Roman villa and Saxon manor to eighteenth century enclosures, from garden cities to twentieth century town and country planning. This book makes the very parts of our homes speak—and say not only where they have come from and why, but where they are tending. The author's broadcasts on this subject will be remembered.

"Sailor on Horseback," by Irving Stone. the correspondence, manuscripts and private papers, together with interviews granted by many people who played important parts in his life, were the source from which Irving Stone gathered material for his biography of Jack London. World-famous novelist, adventurer, revolutionist, a fabulous, eccentric and lovable personality, full of delicious humor and terrible rages, of genius and folly, his life was more fantastic than any of his novels. In addition to being a portrait of Jack London, this is a portrait of the America of his time.

"Christian Message to a Non-Christian World," by Hendrik Kraemer. This book was written at the request of the International Missionary Council, in order to serve as material for the World Missionary Council in 1938. It is worth reading even by those who have no interest in Christian missions, because of its profound and scintillating estimates of the various cultures of the world, of the unique and their typical religious attitudes, and of the social and historical facts which underlie these religious phenomena. For professed Christians it is an invaluable book. It will at once humble their pride and arouse their sense of obligation toward the missionary enterprise. The Archbishop of York, in his foreword, writes: "It is likely to remain for many years the classical treatment of its theme—perhaps the central theme for Christian thought in this age of multiform bewilderment."

"Orchestra Speaks," by Bernard Share. The author of this book is the principal viola of the B.B.C. orchestra and has played under many of the famous orchestra conductors of today. With the exception of two chapters, one giving the orchestra player's point of view on the audience, the conductor and his fellow-players in general, the other on modern music—the book is composed of sketches of the personalities and methods of Sir Thomas Beecham, Pau Casat, Albert Coates, Toscanini and others.

"Folly of Instalment Buying," by Roger Ward Babson. In this book buying on time payments and government spending are denounced, with reasons. The bad effects of instalment buying on markets, employment and the individual are given in an attempt to show that the consumer should buy for cash only. The reader will find a good deal that deserves attention in Mr Babson's analysis of the moral and social phases of an economic problem.

British Honor for President

THE President of Portugal, General Carmona, is very proud of the Grand Cross and Collar of the Order of the Bath, accorded him by the King of England, for he is the first Portuguese statesman to receive so high an honor since the days of the monarchy, when most Kings of Portugal were Knights of the Order of the Garter.

Ten years president of his country, General Carmona is a slightly built, upright man of sixty-nine, still a brilliant horseman, a good linguist and a great student of military history, books upon which he pores over into the early morning hours, books in English and several tongues other than his own. He has, however, never been in England. In his soldier's uniform, General Carmona mixes freely with the crowds in the city, easily and often recognized, in spite of several attempts to assassinate him. He smilingly describes himself in his public role as "sometimes cheered, sometimes shot at."

New "Bractea" Found

RECENTLY there was lost from the State Museum at Stockholm the Vadstena "bractea," a tiny gold disc inscribed with all the older Runestaves, the most ancient form of Germanic writing. It is one of the four objects which bear all the twenty-four Runes.

Now a new "bractea" has been found in a field at Oerebro by a farmer, which bears similar inscriptions, though it has not the rope-like edge of the Vadstena relic. The newly discovered disc is three inches in diameter and weighs 658 troy grains. It is believed to date from the fifth century, or about 200 years after the first appearance of Runes. The place of its discovery is said to be the burial ground of an old Viking king.

The word rune is from the Gothic runa, which originally meant something mysterious or secret. The vast majority of runic monuments have been found in Scandinavia.

British Columbia's Ocean Playground

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ing to it that famous name, "The Graveyard of the Pacific." Here also are extra fine rock pillars, with red cedar growth on the tops, and awesome blow holes, along the rocky places, where spray towers some hundred or more feet into the sky at every blast. A risky landing at Sea Bird Islet rewards the adventurer with a sight of thousands of nests of sea gulls, oyster catchers, cormorants and puffins, and then something new, a tiny bird similar to the sooty sparrow, but he is different, darting like lightning from hole to hole in the little earth banks on the centre of the wind-swept rocky isle. Lastly the old wreck of the power schooner Soquel, with her anchors that had dragged on to the rocks, perched well above the level of the sea, is visible.

And now for the last lap, a long, tedious one now, after leaving these hidden wonders of the West Coast line up the Alberni Canal to Alberni. The route winds here and three over some thirty miles of country, which never exceeds 1,000 feet in altitude at any time. This is more than twice the height up the coast to Bamfield, but when one realizes it connects with the main highway at Alberni and that this route would make a circular tour from Victoria to Port San Juan, to Alberni, to Parksville, Nanaimo and then on to Victoria, it seems well worth the trouble.

Incidentally, during this whole trip not a single foot of muskeg, that enemy of construction, which is found on the route from Port Hardy to Alice Arm at Quattino; and back of Long Beach toward Sproat Lake, had been encountered.

Area of the Park

ALL of this leads us to the following summary. The total area of the proposed park is about 700 square miles, as compared with the park the Province of British Columbia gave to the upper Mainland Tweedsmuir Park 5,400 square miles, and the Provincial Park at Garibaldi, 1,704 square miles.

It is the one place in the entire coastline of British Columbia where a road of such a length could ever be built paralleling the ocean and yet form a circular tour.

It is the only route which has sandy beaches, rock columns, waterfalls rumbling towards the Pacific and blow holes with towering white spray. It is the only location from which it is possible to see the largest body of water—the Pacific Ocean.

The only site where real, giant trees can be saved for future generations and the tourist traffic—as the world-famed redwoods of California.

It is the best way to reach Long Beach quickly and by the most beautiful route, namely, by ferry from Bamfield to Uclulet, and through the pass between Turret and Turtle Islands—two of the 300-odd islands of Barclay Sound. Incidentally, this is the only place on the Pacific Coast of the Island still unspoiled by man and available as a valuable pleasure ground for all Canada and its visitors.

Last, but not least, if the park is not secured right now it will be destroyed. The foreigner has his grip on a patch of cedar near Pachena River, and already invasion from the South by ruinous, high-lead logging is now seriously threatening this last stand of virgin timber—the last of British Columbia's showground of her former timber wealth.

Hours of Merriment

KING Carnival in Munich has mounted his throne and his reign of processions, fancy dress balls, costume parades and the like will now go on officially until Ash Wednesday for the "thousand hours of merriment and good cheer" and unofficially until well into March.

King Carnival is here called the Prince Regent, who this year is Dr Robert Richter, famed throughout Bavaria for his prowess at skiing, skating, mountain climbing and horsemanship. He is also an airman. His "princess" consort is the daughter of a Munich fur dealer, who was lady-in-waiting to a former real "Majesty" a few years ago.

Asphalt Lake Studied

A WONDERFUL discovery is the prehistoric "asphalt lake," a few miles from the Soviet oil city of Baku, for it is rich in animal fossils. A mass of sticky asphalt 300 square yards in area and six feet deep, this lake trapped, centuries ago, in the early quaternary period, hundreds of wild horses, deer, bears, wolves and sabre-tooth tigers, who mistook the glistening surface for water, and the birds of prey, hyenas and jackals who went after the carcasses of the trapped thirsty animals. A fruitful addition to the history of Caucasian fauna is likely to be provided when the excavations are completed by the Russian Academy of Sciences.

Cresta Run Faster

EXPERT Cresta riders like the Hon. Ben Bathurst, Viscount Bledisloe's son and heir, have approved the modifications carried out since last year which have made the Cresta Run, at St. Moritz, world's most famous toboggan run, easier for establishing new records. High up, the Battledore and Shuttlecock corners, second and third on the run have been modified, and the last corner, Charybdis, has been rebuilt. The whole run has been made considerable faster.

Why is a hungry man like a baker?—Because he needs (kneads) bread.

Shells of Ancient Shores

By Robert Connell

THE shells I have been describing and picturing lately are the exteriors of animals that live in the sea today, though some of them are to be found at low tide adhering to the rocks or hidden in the sand or mud. Their empty shells are found along the shore where they have been washed up by the sea, usually scattered, sometimes, however, piled up in conspicuous heaps like shingle where conditions are favorable. These large shell drifts, as they may be called, are very unusual. The best example I know around our coast is just west of Jordan River village, near China Creek. There, for a short distance in the lee of a basaltic cape projecting at right angles from the shore, the beach is backed by a promiscuous mound of weather-whitened shells of various kinds, among which Lewis' moonshell is the most notable spiral and the northern pectunculus, if not the most conspicuous, at least the most attractive of the bivalve group. Of course, these sea-piled banks must not be confounded with the Indian shell-mounds: the latter are sometimes mistaken for ancient marine beds now elevated. It must be added that erosion of the middens sometimes results in accumulations of shells somewhat resembling those directly washed up by the sea.

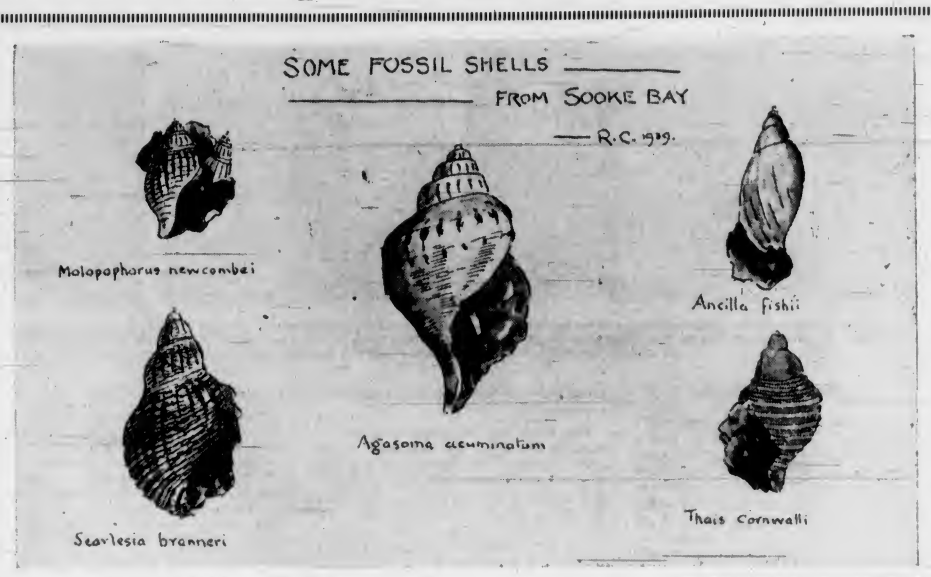
The shell-banks which are now being built up before our eyes are, of course, mixed with other materials, though in smaller proportions. Sand, pebbles, cobbles, seaweed and wood are all familiar constituents, and to these may be added dead colonies of bryozoa, fragments of sponges, feathery zoophytes, worm-tubes, egg-cases, and so on: a perfect museum of the sea, in fact. I owe my first acquaintance with a number of the animals of the sea to the seashore debris heaps, whether predominantly of shells or not. Some of these things travel a long way. At William Head some years ago the sea washed up on one of the many little beaches around its rocky shores a complete plant of a seaweed which, so far as I know, grows no nearer than the neighborhood of Port Renfrew. I have seen it myself in abundance along the low-tide edge of the sandstone platform of Clo-oose village. It resembles a miniature palm-tree with tapering trunk and waving fronds, but all of a shining olivaceous brown. Years ago, the University of Wisconsin had a marine station at Port Renfrew for their biological students, and the publication that told the story of their activities was named after this seaweed "Postelsia."

Ancient Shores

SO much for a modern shell-beach. Now I ask you to go back with me through time: past our present era, past the thousands of years of the glacial ice-caps and their intervening warm period, and still further back to the days when the Oligocene was passing into the Miocene and the mammals were at length becoming recognizably modern. Modern geologists place the period at approximately 30,000,000 years ago. Vancouver Island and the Queen Charlotte group were part of the Mainland, and the sea that washed our southwest shores extended over much of the western borders of Washington and Oregon. Today, we can trace the sediments laid down in those ancient waters as far back as the long line of lofty hills that rise in places almost precipitously from the lowlands of Sooke, Otter Point, Shirley and Jordan River. We can see them still in the broad embayments in which Tugwell, Muir, and Kirby Creeks and Jordan River follow their courses, and on the margins of some of the basaltic headlands we can still perceive with wonder the rough bouldery conglomerates lying against the ancient eroded shoreline just as they were accumulated in those far-off years. It is a thought-compelling spectacle that, to me, custom has never succeeded in dulling, however often it recurs. But let us turn to the well-known cliff west of Muir Creek mouth. Here is a well of sandstone varying in color from yellow to dark grey, and in texture from a conglomerate of small pebbles to a sandy shale. The fossils are not difficult to find: the merest tyro cannot fail to notice the layers of shells, some of which are two or three feet thick, others only as many inches or even less. Their accessibility is another important feature. There is neither climbing nor scrambling to be done. Standing on the shore, you can view them at your own height, as well as above and below you. The extraordinary abundance is peculiarly striking. In some of the layers shells must once have comprised almost the whole of the original accumulation, though now, with the disappearance of much of the limy substance and the filling of the empty shells with sand, the condition is reversed. It is in such places that you are able to detect best the resemblance to a modern shell-beach. Again looking at the cliff, or perhaps better still, at the great blocks that have been torn from its weakened face by the Winter storms, here you will find pieces of driftwood, now converted into a hard carbonaceous substance that has preserved the original grain perfectly; frequently it is found to contain the borings of ship-worms, though ships were still hidden in the far-off future, and these borings are now filled, sometimes with sand, more often with crystalline silica or lime. A shaly sandstone contains the shells of a small species of mussel, and below the shells are leaves of deciduous trees. Now these things, the shell accumulations, the worm-bored wood, the mussels, and the leaves of hardwood trees, all point to deposition in shallow waters close to shore, and it is therefore, I think, reasonable to suppose that had you and I been by the bonnie braes of Sooke Bay in that far past we should have seen on an even bolder scale such shell-banks as we know today at China Creek and elsewhere.

A Helping Hand

SO many people visit annually the Muir Creek fossil-beds that I propose to give some information about the commoner fossils found there and at points further west. I do this because the sources of this information are not easily obtainable. One of them is the Geological Survey Memoir on the Sooke and Duncan map-areas published in 1917 and written by Dr. Clapp. It has lists of fossils, but there are important omissions, some errors, and no figures. The other is Clark and Arnold's University of California monograph on the Fauna of the Sooke Formation, published in 1923. It is well illustrated, but the descriptions are naturally technical and there are some errors in the map and the letterpress. So without pretending to compete with the work of these specialists, to whom I am greatly indebted for information and help, I think I can give a helping hand such as I should have appreciated myself when I first became acquainted with the Sooke beds twenty-three years ago, or before either of the publications referred to appeared.



The shells seen in the face of the cliff are chiefly spiral in form, univalves, as they are sometimes called, but more correctly and scientifically gasteropods, or as it is often spelt, gastropods. They are not always either spiral or univalve, but they agree as a class in having a distinct head with eyes and tentacles and a mouth furnished with a tooth-band and a broad muscular foot for locomotion. The class is said to contain a larger number of species than any animal group except that of the insects.

Common but Handsome

WHETHER we only look at the fossils most accessible in the cliff or break off a piece with a hammer we shall find that one of the most prominent species is a large shell with a general form of our wrinkled purple, though quite different in sculpture. It is known as Agasoma acuminatum, the first or generic name referring to the large body-whorl, the specific to its pointed spire. It is not by any means easy to get perfect specimens. In the first place, many are flattened by the pressure on them during sedimentation. Then in the extraction of them from the rock the upper part of the spire is very easily broken off and lost. Finally, the characteristic markings have apparently been defaced during the process of accumulation, another thing suggesting shell-banks exposed to the air. Still, good ones are met with and you should not be satisfied with anything less than at least tolerably well-marked and complete specimens. I hope the descriptions and pictures will enable you to recognize them when you come upon them. I may add that many specimens found will be only casts in sandstone and the shellier ones are usually the best. A typical Agasoma is two and a half inches long and about an inch and a half in diameter across the body-whorl. Its surface is covered with very fine spiral ridges closely placed and these are cut by vertical ridges which at their crossings of the spirals form conspicuous nodes on the upper whorls and on the lower edge or angle of the shoulder of the body-whorl. Sometimes there are on the body-whorl one or two rather less conspicuous rows of nodes below the shoulder one. Usually there are about twenty nodes on the body-whorl. The whorls are clearly distinguished with vertical sides and well-sloped shoulders, the body-whorl rounding off just below the middle. Of course it must be remembered that as seen in our present-day purples there is a wide range of variation not only in size, but what is more important in shape and sculpturing. A collector will aim at getting a good representation of these variations. At its best it is a handsome shell.

Next in conspicuousness among the gasteropods come the moonshells which are quite like enough our modern species to ensure our recognition of the elder if we know the younger. There are two very common species. One is Polynices recluziana vancouverensis, the third name denoting that it is a sub-species of an existing West Coast species, P. recluziana. Specimens are about an inch and a quarter high and an inch and a half across. It has a low spire and a correspondingly large and conspicuous body-whorl. A smaller species in Polynices sookensis which has a higher spire in proportion to the total height, but this and another species, P. victoriana, are difficult to distinguish without specimens that show the umbilical opening and inner lip of the shell clearly.

Some Smaller Beauties

AMONG other gasteropods that are plentiful is a beautiful little one known as Molopophorus newcombei. The formidable generic name out of all proportion to the proprietor means "bearer of weals or wales," the long swellings caused by blows with a stick or cane. It is about an inch or a little more in height and has well-shouldered whorls. Over the spiral ribs that encircle it are lengthwise ones that often almost obliterate the spirals and it is their prominence that has given it the name of "molopophorus." Usually, however, the crossed ribs give a cancellated or checker work pattern on the body-whorl. Around the top of the whorls is an unusually strongly marked rib. It forms the shoulder and from its lower side spring the vertical ribs of the whorl. I have spoken of its beauty and that may seem an exaggeration when we have to deal with these shadows of the past. Nevertheless, I persist, for although the original substance of the shell is wasted away and its colors are no more, its pattern still suggests to the mind what it once was and to this inner sense it is beautiful.

Here is another small shell found quite commonly with the others at Muir Creek and in general outline not wholly unlike the little Molopophorus, but it lacks the sharply defined whorl shoulders and the cancellating ribs. Its name is Ancilla fishii or Fish's ancilla, the generic name meaning "handmaid." It is a close relative of our little olivellas of Shirley district, with the same notched aperture below, and with a similar pattern of regular growth lines. A much larger shell is Searlesia branneri, good specimens of which measure an inch and three quarters in length. It is not as common as the species already described, but it has the advantage of being well and conspicuously marked. The body-whorl is rather more than half the length of the shell and the whole surface is marked by spiral rather flattish ribs which in some specimens are more or less alternately broad and narrow, in others all broad with the interspaces narrower than the ribs. About eight vertical and high but rounded ribs run across the respective whorls. The outline of the whorls is gradually rounded and between each there is a distinct band or collar. Still more rare and difficult to get in a perfect specimen is Thais cornwalli, named after my friend, L. E. Cornwall, who first brought it to the attention of the specialists. Fortunately it is so distinctly marked that almost any fragment carries its own identification with it. Even in Clark and Arnold's monograph it is pictured only by broken examples. A good specimen is probably an inch and three quarters long. It is marked on the body-whorl by from four to six large spiral ribs somewhat rounded in cross-section. In some specimens these have from one to three threadlike ribs between. On the shoulder which rises acutely at an angle of about 45 degrees from the body-whorl there are five or six narrower ribs set close together. The sculpturing of the upper whorls I cannot make out even on one well preserved spire.

On and Around Coast

BEFORE leaving our fossil shells for this week it is at once interesting and important to note that among the ancient shells of the Sooke beds there are a number which are so closely akin to living shells on this coast that they may well claim to be ancestral. Clark and Arnold list no less than twenty-seven of these species. For example, Searlesia branneri has its modern representative in Searlesia dira which you may easily pick up along our rocky coves in your rambles. It is so like the fossil and the fossil so like it that if you know the one you can hardly mistake the other. The chief difference apart perhaps from size is that the spiral ribs are finer on our present-day species. The same thing as I have already shown applies to Polynices recluziana and its fossil sub-species Vancouverensis. This suggests that the temperature of the sea on these shores has undergone no noteworthy change since the far-off Oligocene-Miocene days or at any rate none sufficient to change radically the marine shell types.

There are many more interesting shells to show those of my readers who wish to do a little exploring for themselves as well as those who, being hindered from active participation, like to read these bits of the history of the past. I can assure them I would like nothing better than to communicate to either class and to share with them the delight of delving into the ancient marine deposits and of wandering in imagination along our ancient coasts. Hugh Miller in "My Schools and Schoolmasters," a fascinating book in these days of "all things made easy" says that when he first found in the Cromarty rocks fossil organisms, "scales of fishes, groups of shells, bits of decayed wood and fragments of fern" he used at the dinner hour to "show his new-found specimens to the workmen; but though they always took the trouble of looking at them and wondered at times how the shells and plants had 'got into the stones,' they seemed to regard them as a sort of natural toys which a mere lad might amuse himself in looking after, but which were rather below the notice of grown-up people." I suppose there are still many people like that in their outlook, but then almost all the best things are apt to suffer that fate, religion, poetry, art, for example.

Control of the Suez Canal

By THOMAS TAYLOR

ITALIAN claims for a proportionate share in the control of the Suez Canal reopens a question that is almost certain to come under international review in the near future.

The present monopolistic concession held by the Suez Canal Company expires in 1968, when it is most unlikely to be renewed, certainly not in its present form. In view of the current trend in world affairs, however, and the importance of the canal as an international waterway essential to the commerce of many nations, some alteration in its administrative control is likely to take place long before that date.

Mussolini's desire for a voice in the canal's direction is easily understood. The canal is vital to Italy's communications with her East African possessions, and since the acquisition of Ethiopia has increased its value in Italian eyes. Italian shipping currently bulks large on the Suez waterway.

Any change in the canal's administration involves, of course, the participation of Great Britain. Although for all practical purposes the control of the canal is in French hands, Britain's interest in it is both immense and serious.

It is three-fold. Britain owns nearly half the shares of the canal company, her relations with Egypt imposes on her the protection of the canal, and the freedom of canal waters to British ships is indispensable in the interests of her Far Eastern dominions and colonies.

Italy complains, not without reason, about the high rate of canal tolls. She paid more than nine million dollars in tolls during 1937 alone. Her complaint touches on an issue that has been of international concern for many years.

Protest Rates

PROTESTS by shipping companies against the rates set by the Suez Canal Company have been rampant almost since the canal was opened in 1869. British shipping interests in particular, the largest users of the canal, have been consistent in their demands for lower canal dues. In recent years, in fact, considerable shipping has been diverted to the Panama Canal because of its more favorable rates.

Ferdinand De Lesseps, builder of the canal and founder of the Suez Canal Company, visualized his undertaking as a public utility built for the use of world commerce. His statue at the Port Said entrance to the canal bears on its pedestal the watchword, "To Open the Earth to All Peoples." The management would be drawn from the nationalities principally interested in the use of the canal, and profit-making would not alone be its first consideration.

That conception has not been realized. French capital built the canal and France still holds most of the shares. The directorate and the administrative personnel are predominantly French. There are twenty-one French directors out of a total of thirty-two. Apart from Great Britain, which has ten seats, and Holland, which has one, no other country is represented on the board of management, despite the use of the canal by practically all nations.

Represent Holders

SINCE the directorate, other than the seven British members nominated by British shipping interests, represents the shareholders of the company, whose natural interest is the size of the dividends, it is not surprising that operation of the canal has developed along utilitarian lines. It is run purely as a business undertaking, and, like any other business concern, it operates primarily to make profits.

It is typical of the unforeseen elements in future international affairs that Great Britain, which, for political reasons, strenuously opposed and hampered De Lesseps in the projection and building of the canal, should come to regard its interest in the waterway to be of paramount importance.

Disraeli's astute promptness in 1875, when, without authority of Parliament, he bought the insolvent Khedive's shares, although regarded at the time simply as a political coup of great magnitude, has given Britain a financial interest in the canal of considerable profit. The original purchase price of four million pounds has been repaid in dividends and interest ten times over.

Her responsibilities for the defence of the canal derive from her control of Egypt during the period 1882-1922. In granting Egypt sovereign independence in 1922, Great Britain reserved the right to defend that country against all foreign aggression or interference. That involves the Suez Canal, which legally is Egyptian property, in concession to a private company until 1968.

Britain's Interest

BRITAIN'S main interest in the canal, of course, is because that waterway is the lifeline of her Far Eastern commerce and the jugular vein of her empire communications. British ships from the seven seas pass through the isthmus of Suez, and the unrestricted use of that 100-mile waterway is a cardinal factor in British maritime affairs.

Italy's claim for some part in the administration of the canal, whether or not conceded on this occasion, presages the day when the whole matter of control will come up for international revision. The temper of the times is against monopolistic enterprises, and the changing face of Europe makes it likely, if not desirable, that the Suez Canal Company's present profitable concession will not be allowed to run out its term.

The canal is essentially an international waterway, vital to the peaceful passage of all ships and too important to be the handmaiden of private investors. It should be regarded, as De Lesseps intended, principally as a public utility for the use of world commerce, and sooner or later international intervention will cause that to be the case.

When that time comes, it follows that Great Britain, by virtue of her share holdings, her political need of the canal and the preponderant use of it by her ships, will assume a proportionately large share in the direct control of that important waterway, the Suez Canal.

Last Days of the Princess Royal

By BARRIE GOULT

IT was the Sabbath at Moose Factory a day, thought Factor James Cotter, that the post might rest, now that the last of the season's ships to England had cleared. During the afternoon the barquentine had headed for the outer reaches of Hudson Bay, its crew anxious for sight of the grey Atlantic, and eventually home.

Factor Cotter had been ill that Autumn, and was pale from his recent indisposition. But that night, the third day of October in the year 1885, he looked forward to a period of relaxation—to an evening's entertainment with a few friends who were coming at the invitation of Mrs. Cotter.

Outside the rising storm shrilled against the log walls. Snow was falling fast and visibility was difficult.

But the factor's relaxation was to be of short duration. There came a pounding upon the door. Breathless from running, snow upon his garments, young Joe Taylor from the pilot's boat presented himself before the astonished company. "Sir," he said, addressing Mr. Cotter, "the ship went ashore on the bar, and is a total loss."

It is recounted that James Cotter grew white, half rose from his chair and fell back, his knife and fork clattering upon his plate.

The ship lost that day was the Princess Royal, built thirty-two years before by Money, Wigram & Sons, of London, England.

Greeted by Douglas

SHE was registered A 1 at Lloyd's and sailed in May, 1852, for Fort Victoria with 106 souls aboard. Many of these were miners who had been recruited to work the coal seams recently discovered by the Hudson's Bay Company at Colville Town (Nanaimo).

The Royal completed that trip in five and one-half months, and had the honor of being greeted by Governor Douglas himself. She made the same voyage in the years that followed, varying the route at times, with journeys to Burrard Inlet, Valparaiso, Pisagua, Santa Cruz and Le Havre.

Since 1880 the ship had been commanded by Capt. William Barfield, a veteran skipper who had seen service in the China Seas. When in 1885 he was ordered to take the Royal to Moose Factory, he sailed the craft on what was to be her last voyage.

The Royal was loaded where ships to this lonely post were wont to take on their cargo—ten miles below the Factory on Moose River. She cleared for the northeast and passed on beyond Moose River bar, only to encounter a terrific snowstorm and a howling gale.

The ship lost all anchors and became unmanageable. Capt. Barfield put about and endeavored to pass the bar, seeking the calmer waters inside. But the ship caught upon the bar, broke its back and became a total wreck. The crew eventually made its dejected way back to Moose Factory.

This was the message Factor Cotter sent the Company's Commissioner, Joseph Wrigley, at Winnipeg, who, receiving it October 31, cabled it to London the next day.

Crees Fire Hulk

ABOUT Moose Factory roved a tribe of the Algonquins—the Swampy Crees, who were soon drawn to the hulk that lay below Moose River. They found Capt. Barfield's cabin had been pre-empted by a tribesman from Albany, who made the wreck his headquarters. The Albany man welcomed the Crees. They broached a keg of tar for use on their canoes, and finding the stuff hard in the congealing cold of the northern Winter (for it was then January, 1886), they kindled a fire to start the pitch.

The deck was soon ablaze. The frightened Indians threw snow on the conflagration, and were heartened when the spread of the flames diminished.

They were heartened, too, when the Albany native sent one of the Crees for a container of water in the captain's cabin. The Cree soon returned. He marked the fact that the water had a penetrating odor. But he did not hesitate. He threw the liquid well and truly into the heart of the blaze, only to turn, to cry aloud in terror and to run frantically away as the stuff exploded.

Thus is was that paraffin for the Royal's lamps made of the ship itself a torch whose light was marked by the few inhabitants of the wild.

It is related that Capt. Barfield took the trail from Moose Factory to look again on the charred remains of his old command, and that he returned eventually with the carven arms of the figurehead, and various pieces of oak and teak.

These, it is said, were made into boxes, and may still be found in Montreal.

The ice that Winter carried away all that was left of the keel and the ribs of the Princess Royal. Barfield, by then proficient in the use of snowshoes, trekked the perilous 500 miles south to Canada and Montreal and returned to England.

Various members of the crew waited until Spring and made the trip "out" by canoe.

High Speed Subway

A GERMAN inventor is planning a tube railway controlled by electric magnets on which a speed of 622 miles an hour is contemplated. Meanwhile several locomotives for German railways have been ordered with a speed of 112 miles an hour. These are of 8,000 h.p. It was only fifty years ago that the first electric locomotive was built in Berlin, of three horsepower.

For motor traffic the new Berlin is planning underground streets. Nine double-story tunnels are being built for vehicles so that, together with the new North-South Underground Railway, there will be four levels of transport situated one above the other. It is hoped these tunnels will be completed by January 1, 1941.

Why is a one-eyed schoolmaster's school never full? Because he always has room for another pupil.

The Late "Jimmy" Sexton

By J. Edward Norcross

Belgian Leader Passes—Schools and Literature—Outlook for 1939—Britain's Hardest Winter—Outlaw Law Out—Labor and the Register

LONDON (By Mail).—To one seeing it for the first time, Cleopatra's Needle is disappointingly small, an obelisk only sixty-eight and a half feet high, to which the sulphur in London's smoke has done more damage in sixty years than it sustained for 3,000 years in Egypt.

The Needle, which now stands on the Embankment, with the very modern Shell-Mex building towering behind it, has no real connection whatever with Mark Antony's lady love. It may be presumed that she saw it when it stood on its original site at Alexandria, but it had already been there a thousand years before she ruled Egypt.

If memory serves, the Khedive of Egypt presented the Needle to Great Britain. A special vessel had to be built to bring it to London which became a derelict in the Bay of Biscay, with the Needle aboard. It was picked up again by a cargo steamer and towed safely to the Thames.

All of which is brought to mind by the death at eighty-two years of age of one believed to be the last survivor of the crew of the ship which rescued the obelisk, James Sexton, then a lad of twenty-two, a deckhand who had not the slightest premonition then that he would become a member of Parliament and die a knight, and that men of national fame would attend his funeral. This took place a few days ago at St. Helens, the Lancashire town in which he had begun work when he was nine, at sixty cents a week, and from which, with a packet of food and twelve cents in his pocket, he had set off to make his way in the world.

As his famous autobiography tells, it was rough going at first for the boy. He stowed away in a sailing ship, landed at San Francisco, and became a gold miner and later a logger on the Pacific Coast. Those were the days when shanghaiing flourished on the San Francisco waterfront and, having incautiously wandered there one day, young Sexton found himself in the forecastle of a vessel starting out for Singapore. Stranded in the Sandwich Islands, he picked up a ship bound for England.

Getting back to Liverpool, he gave up the sea and went to work as a docker. Three years later a heavy piece of machinery fell on him and disfigured him for life. There was no workmen's compensation then, and when he returned to work his employer put him on at a lower rate of pay and deducted sixty cents from his first wages to pay for the cab in which he had been taken to hospital.

By and by Sexton became a leader among his fellow workers and took command in the great dock strike of 1889. At that time he was the man most hated by the shipping interests of Merseyside. Nevertheless the day came when Liverpool, one of the most conservative of cities, made him an honorary freeman, a distinction conferred on few.

Sir James insisted on remaining Jimmy Sexton. When summoned to London to receive the accolade, he refused to follow advice on how he should dress.

"If the old brown hat I've had for ten years isn't good enough," he said, "then I'll do without the knighthood."

So he turned up at Buckingham Palace in the old brown hat, a serge suit and a muffler, and he was one of the few recipients of honors with whom the King spoke that day.

Lord Derby, who was among those at the graveside, said:

"Liverpool rightly deplores the death of a straight and fearless leader, and while I join in that, I feel that I have lost a great personal friend with whom all my relations have been of the most delightful character. May he rest in peace."

A Belgian Leader

BY a rather sad coincidence, another great Labor leader passed away on the same day as Sir James Sexton, Emile Vandervelde, the chief architect of the Belgian Labor party.

M. Vandervelde began life with greater advantages than Sir James, who was earning his living before he was ten years old. The Belgian, ten years his junior, was born of parents sufficiently well-to-do to give him educational advantages and send him to university. Had he not risen to political eminence, he would have been known to the world as a writer and a philosopher.

For twenty years he was the outstanding figure among Belgian Socialists. At that time King Leopold II was deriving vast revenues from the Congo Free State, which he regarded as his personal property. Hard taskmasters exploited the wretched natives, who were compelled to bring in rubber, their condition being virtually slavery.

Vandervelde became known internationally owing to his denunciations of this iniquity, which brought about the transference of the colony to the Belgian State and a cessation of the practices exposed by the fearless Labor man.

On the outbreak of war Vandervelde became a Cabinet minister. His was the only signature on both the Treaty of Versailles and the Treaty of Locarno. He was a member of the Belgian Government until 1937, when he resigned.

Changing Schools

ONE of the most beneficial results of the proposed revolutionary changes in the system of secondary schools—the equivalent of the Canadian high schools—when they are brought into effect, will be that the love of English literature will be nurtured in the minds of the pupils instead of being extirpated.

Set books for examination in English literature, it is recommended, should be abolished. A leading educationist, commenting on this, says:

"Frequently, the over-analytical study of the best English literature has led the scholars into almost unbearable boredom. They want never to hear of some of Shakespeare's plays again. Charles Lamb is dissected and his humor analyzed until the schools have made a corpse of him.

"Any system of examinations which leaves the scholar 'fed up' with literature must be bad. I do not doubt that many intelligent boys and girls are leaving our secondary schools tired to death of English literature."

The suggested reforms are contained in a report of the Consultative Committee on Secondary Education, a body which has been at work on it for nearly five years. The report is now before the Board of Education and its adoption in large part is strongly urged in the press generally.

In brief, the report insists that a new type of secondary school is needed. Hitherto the curricula of secondary schools have followed the traditional lines of the classical education which leads to the universities, despite the fact that only a very small percentage of pupils have ever gone up to them.

It is now proposed that the new secondary schools shall be technical high schools where boys between the ages of eleven and sixteen will be taught English, history, geography, mathematics, science, engineering drawing, practical crafts in the workshops, aesthetic subjects and a foreign language.

Stress is laid on the teaching of Scripture, "primarily with a view to understanding what the authors of the books of the Bible in fact intended them to mean."

Not all boys will take all these subjects. Pupils may drop those for which they have no aptitude. The main point is that the report constitutes a definite attempt to prepare the pupils for the practical requirements of modern life.

Furthermore, the passing of examinations is no longer to be the be-all and the end-all of education.

Views the Future

THERE are few men in as good a position to judge the trend in industry and commerce as the Chancellor of the Exchequer. It is, therefore, very heartening to find that Sir John Simon is optimistic about the outlook for 1939.

"There are definite signs for the better. That is not mere optimism on my part or a desire to usher in the new year with proper enthusiasm, but a conclusion which I have reached from the evidence before me," he said in the course of a newspaper interview.

"It is a general experience that the first signs, whether of depression or of improvement, come from across the Atlantic," Sir John continued.

"The United States is so vast an area and its operations are on so enormous a scale that this must be so. . . . Now the industrial situation has been improving in the United States for the last six months. There is already a remarkable recovery there of business and productivity.

"To give one figure: the index of industrial production in the United States fell from 118 in the Spring of 1937 to 76 last May; it has now risen again to 103. We may be confident that this rise of level over there will show itself here also."

The Chancellor went on to say that British trade figures already furnished indications of the improvement he had forecast.

"The production of iron and steel is a good example of industrial activity," he remarked. "Take pig iron. The monthly average of production of pig iron for 1937 was 707,800 tons. In December, 1937, it was no less than 783,000 tons.

"After that the figure of production fell month by month. In last September it was as low as 429,000 tons.

"But since September it has risen. The figure for October was 469,400 tons. The average daily output was higher in November than in October."

The figures for steel quoted by the Chancellor told the same story. "The general conclusion, I think," he said, "is that the serious and sudden drop which was so disturbing has stopped and that the curve of trade is rising. . . . The ability of Great Britain to get through a bad time has been illustrated once again."

England's Weather

ACCORDING to the weather prophets we are in for the hardest Winter we have had for years in Great Britain. We had a foretaste of it just before Christmas, when there was frost and snow all over the country. In London the temperature fell to 24 or 25 degrees above—not below—zero and the newspapers were full of it.

It was a good thing for the manufacturers and vendors of heating appliances, blankets, woolen wear, heavy overcoats and rubber overshoes. Men usually refuse to wear the latter—goloshes as they are called here—but they were glad to get them last month to the extent of about a million pairs.

Electric heaters were sold by tens of thousands, and there was a big demand for oil stoves for use in houses where kitchen fires could not be lit because of frozen hot-water pipes.

Fortunately, owing to the long spell of unusually mild weather preceding the sudden descent of the thermometer, the coal stocks in hand were heavy. They were soon cleared out, however, to the benefit of colliery owners and miners.

Thousands of tons of soiled and rock salt were used to melt snow and ice on the roads. Motor truck drivers hauling it worked day and night, many of them earning $10 a day until the thaw came.

For it was all a matter of a few days. By Christmas we were enjoying normal December weather — raw and cold with wet squalls, gales and half-gales, and fogs in between. At this time of writing it looks as if it might freeze again as we advance into January.

Last year, it may be mentioned, was the most freakish from a weather standpoint this country has known in modern times. Never a month passed, hardly a fortnight, without one sort of weather or another becoming front page news.

The rainfall registered at Kew was 25 per cent short of the average for the year, and at Greenwich, where records have been kept since 1815, February, March and April were the driest three consecutive calendar months ever registered, the precipitation aggregating 1.06 inches and being 22 per cent of normal.

March and November broke all records for those months for continued warmth all over the country, November 5, with a shade temperature of 70 or 71 degrees in the southern counties being by far the hottest day experienced so late in the Autumn during the last century.

During the Summer, on the other hand, the weather was abnormally bleak and rough from time to time. The 14 degrees of ground frost logged at Greenwich May 8 beats all records for that date since 1862. In June there was a gale approaching ninety miles per hour, one of a number of equal severity.

No More Outlawry

SO long as one is within the realm he cannot now be put beyond the King's protection, as might have happened until the end of last year. In other words, a subject of the Crown cannot be outlawed, last session's Administration of Justice Act definitely abolishing outlawry proceedings.

As the law stood prior to the amendment noted, a man who failed to appear to answer an indictment, or to receive sentence, could be outlawed, which meant that, if apprehended, he might be subjected to perpetual imprisonment and have all his goods forfeited.

There was, of course, a legal procedure, but it was very cumbersome, involving the issue of many writs and the making of many proclamations. It had not been invoked since 1859.

In the early Middle Ages an outlaw could be put to death by any man, but it was ordained in the reign of Edward III that he could be killed only by a sheriff and, later still, only if he had committed a capital offence. There were, however, any number of capital offences in those days.

The outlaw had no legal rights against anybody. He could not sue for damage to either his person or his property. Presumably a fugitive from justice would be technically an outlaw to this extent. At all events such outlawry was advanced as a defence in a case of libel in British Columbia forty or fifty years ago.

The defendant was the owner of The Nanaimo Free Press, second oldest newspaper in the province. The plaintiff brought action on the ground that certain statements contained in the newspaper were false and injurious.

The proprietor, the late George Norris, conducted his own case. He proved that when the alleged libel appeared the plaintiff had made a hurried trip to Seattle to evade prosecution on a criminal charge of some sort, that he was therefore a fugitive from justice and that the newspaper was at liberty to print anything it liked about him. He won, the judge complimenting him on his knowledge of law.

Labor and Service

THE Labor Party has given its official consent to the voluntary National Register and has instructed its organizations to take part in the work of local committees throughout the country and, incidentally, to see that nothing in the shape of compulsion is attempted by overzealous bodies.

The Independent Labor Party, however, is absolutely opposed to this step. The Independent Labor Party, headed by Mr. James Maxton, M.P., has only four representatives in the House of Commons, but is much stronger in the industrial constituencies than this figure would indicate.

The secretary has issued a protest stating that the Labor Party's decision will be received with surprise and alarm "by thousands of members of the working class movement."

It means, he continues, that the official Labor movement has agreed to become part of the national war machine. It is the first step towards the acceptance of industrial and military conscription.

"The I.L.P. is immediately getting into touch with other sections of the working class movement which are opposed to the National Register, and with the pacifist movement, with a view to organizing resistance on a national scale."

That a number of doctrinaire Socialists, as well as the out-and-out pacifists and Communists, will join forces with the I.L.P. on this question may be taken for granted. The Labor Party proper, however, is controlled by the trades unions and, as the members of these are aware that they themselves are already registered under the Unemployment and Health Insurance Acts, they are likely to want to see as many other people as possible registered also.

The I.L.P. probably expects that voluntary registration will prove a failure and that when this fact is established next March the Government will bring in compulsory registration. It is organizing in advance, so far as it can, resistance to anything of the sort.

Survival of Fittest

JUDGING by the frequency with which the fact that one or other of them has become an octogenarian is chronicled in the press, the men who took hold of the Labor movement half a century ago must have been a tough lot in a physical sense.

They came, as a rule, from humble homes where they by no means always got enough to eat and, according to the rules laid down by the British Medical Association, should have suffered all sorts of illnesses and incapacities owing to early malnutrition. They went to work at eight or nine years of age, turning in at mill or workshop at 6 in the morning, Winter and Summer alike, and somehow achieved healthy manhood.

Holding their own among their workmates and forcing their way to the top was not only a matter of brains—they had to be able to defend themselves with nature's weapons if occasion arose.

The latest of them to enter on his ninth decade is George N. Barnes, who has been in the Labor movement since the '70s and who took part in the Trafalgar Square disturbance in 1888 when John Burns was arrested. Like John Burns he subsequently saw the inside of Buckingham Palace as the guest of the King in quite another capacity.

George Barnes was born at Lochee, near Dundee, the son of a Lancashire mechanic and a Scots mother, a pretty good combination from a eugenic standpoint. At ten he was working in the jute mills.

Later he was apprenticed to engineering. Paying a visit to London he liked the metropolis so well that he decided to stay there. Work was hard to get and he struggled for a year or two in bitter poverty. Then he got a steady job and joined the Amalgamated Society of Engineers. The story of his career thenceforward is the story of the development of the trades union movement, particularly on its political side.

Barnes became general secretary of the A.E.S. in 1896. He was elected Labor member for Gorbals, Glasgow, in 1906, and joined the Lloyd George Government during the war years. He was the first Minister of Pensions and later entered the Cabinet as Minister without portfolio.

As one of the inspirers of the International Labor movement, his portrait, presented by friends, hangs at the Geneva headquarters.

Financial Puzzles

AT this time of year the "City" editors, that is, the financial editors, of the big newspapers begin worrying about the discrepancy between national income so far collected for the year and national expenditure already incurred.

There is always a big deficit early in January for the simple reason that the Government has been spending money throughout the elapsed nine months of the financial year while a large part of the taxes, particularly income tax, does not come in until the last three months.

So from now on the figures will be closely watched and there will be a great deal of surmise as to whether the Chancellor of the Exchequer is going to make it, that is, whether or not revenue will in the end catch up with and overtake outgo, excluding, of course, the cost of the September crisis. The Government obligingly publishes the totals weekly.

As things stand at the moment it looks as if Mr. Taxpayer would have to hustle to prevent Sir John Simon going into the red. The expenditure for the nine months ending December 31 runs to $3,700,000,000, while only $2,452,000,000 has come in, leaving about a billion and a quarter to be made up, without taking into account the expenditure of the next three months.

Sir John, however, has grounds for feeling quite cheerful about it. Income tax is up $50,000,000 and the National Defence Contribution $65,000,000 in the corresponding period for 1937. With the bulk of these taxes still to come in, he may reasonably hope for a satisfactory total on March 31, even though the deficit at this time is $400,000,000 greater than it was at the beginning of 1938, the increase being due in very large measure to the vast sums being spent on rearmament.

As The Harewood News has a circulation which extends far beyond the village of Harewood, a good many people are interested in the announcement that, on account of the inclusion of expensive photographs, the subscription price of the journal is to be increased from 75c to $1.25 annually.

The paper is published during the Eton vacations, the editors, Viscount Lascelles, aged fifteen, and the Hon. Gerald Lascelles, fourteen, sons of the Earl of Harewood and the Princess Royal, being then at home for the holidays. They promise various improvements in the layout and general appearance of The News in return for the extra payment.

It may be added that the fact that it is run by the King's nephews is not the only reason for the extended circulation of The Harewood News. The boys, like their father, are greatly interested in racing and sometimes venture to give tips on results.

Thus in the current issue they say that more unlikely things have happened than that Lord Derby's colt, Heliopolis, should follow in the footsteps of Hyperion, his sire, and win next year's Derby.

Descendant of Kings

TRUTH, the weekly journal founded by that "eminent Victorian," the late Henry Labouchere, becomes caustic about an article in The Genealogists' Magazine in which a member of the College of Heralds, Mr. Wagner, Portcullis Pursuivant, sets out to prove that the Prime Minister is of Royal descent, standing in the nineteenth generation from King Edward I.

Truth continues: "I can imagine nobody more indifferent to blue-blooded ancestors than Mr. Chamberlain, unless it were the great Joe himself, who indeed used to wax furiously ironical on the subject of the flaneur descendants of kings.

"I am rather surprised that the Society of Genealogists and Mr. Wagner (who is a man of learning) should stoop to this kind of tomfoolery, and that The Times should subsequently have given countenance to it.

"Anyone with a schoolchild's knowledge of arithmetic can satisfy himself that nineteen generations back Mr. Chamberlain (like the rest of us) had something over half a million ancestors.

"Accordingly, proof that the reigning monarch was numbered among them is of no more interest or importance than that one of the others was hanged for felony, which (mathematically speaking) is very probable."

Which latter paragraph brings to mind Sydney Smith's remark that he had been looking up his ancestors but had ceased trying to trace them "because so many of them disappeared about the time of the assizes."

Jews and Publications

AS The Spectator observes, there is no reason whatever why Jews should not be associated, either as directors, shareholders, or working journalists, with any British newspaper. "They are loyal British subjects and may as properly figure in Fleet Street as in Lombard Street or the Temple. When Lord Reading was for a short time chairman of The Daily Chronicle he shed more distinction on that office than the office on him," it says.

The Spectator in replying to the repeated references of the Goebbels-directed German newspapers to "the Jewish-owned British press."

"It happens, as a matter of fact," The Spectator continues, "that Jewish influence in Fleet Street amounts to surprisingly little.

"Apart from The Jewish Times and Jewish Evening News, which bear their character on their faces and circulate in Jewish circles exclusively, no daily, and only one Sunday paper in London can be said to be in any sense under Jewish control.

"That is The Sunday Referee, whose principal owner is Mr. Isidore Ostrer, who is also the chairman of the Gaumont-British Picture Corporation. There is perhaps ground for adding The People, in so far as it is owned by the Odhams Press, of which the chairman is Lord Southwood (Mr. J. S. Elias).

"The case of The Daily Herald is different, for though The Herald is managed on its business side by Odhams Press, its policy is controlled by the trade union movement.

"To those narrow limits does Jewish influence over the principal daily and Sunday papers of Great Britain reduce itself.

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The honor of being the first person to be seen across the Atlantic falls to a Vancouver girl, Miss Joan Miller. Miss Miller came over here several years ago with the reputation of being an amateur actress of parts and hooked up with the British Broadcasting Corporation. She is the television "Picture Page" announcer.

The Radio Corporation of America has just notified the B.B.C. that the "Picture Page" programme from Alexandra Palace, London, was seen in a test at their station at Riverhead, near New York, on November 3.

Miss Miller was clearly visible, introducing the artists.

"Freak reception," says the B.B.C. which so far has not found any way of making sure that a picture can be seen more than thirty miles away. Occasional reports of reception at fifty miles have come in, but 3,000 miles is a record that is likely to stand for some time.

BRISTOL, England.—Lloyd George, Britain's war-time Prime Minister, won three first prizes and one second for apples from his Churt farm at the Imperial fruit show held here recently.

TUNIS GIVES FRENCH PREMIER GREAT WELCOME

These Two Pictures, Taken When Premier Daladier of France Arrived at Tunis After His Visit to Corsica, Give Some Idea of the Welcome Accorded the French Statesman. Top, Anti-Aircraft Guns Pass Along the Streets of Tunis During the Procession. Bottom, Premier Daladier Passing the Crowded Streets of Tunis While the Residents Stand Ten Deep Along the Roadway.

Suburb and Country

AGRICULTURE IS A FIRST PRINCIPLE: ON IT RESTS THE LIFE AND HAPPINESS OF MANKIND—Julian A. Dimock

Some New Plants That Will Be Available to Gardeners

AMONG the novelties available for this year's garden are some very fine subjects—new plants and new varieties of older plants—which will appeal greatly to all lovers of the beautiful, says a writer in the English magazine, Home Gardening.

We describe the most outstanding of the novelties here. You may make your choice in the certainty that whatever you select will be good and that besides increasing the beauty of your garden you will be keeping it right up to date.

Let us start with salvias, now so widely grown. The new salvia splendens Damask Rose is in our view the best color break so far obtained in this family—a fascinating shade of carmine-rose. The flowers are on long spikes which show up splendidly against the dark green leaves.

This salvia is nearly as early in bloom as the popular Harbinger, but to those who prefer the scarlet we would suggest the new extra early St. John's Fire (or Blaze of Fire)—the earliest variety yet raised.

Annual delphinium paniculatum is a fine introduction. It gives its rich blue flowers in the greatest profusion on freely branching stems relieved by finely cut, grass-green foliage—a gem for decorative work of Summer shows in cut flower classes.

The border perennial delphiniums have been further enriched by the addition of some grand novelties, among which Tessa, silvery mauve, Purple Prince, very rich purple, Violetta, rich velvety violet, Naomi, Oxford blue; the gigantic Bowden Boy, rosy lavender, are outstanding.

The Russell Lupins sent out last year have given great pleasure to many gardeners and for 1939 there is a reselected stock which contains many new colors. Also available are named kinds, as George Russell—after the raiser—coral pink keel, snow white standard, and Josephine, lavender blue keel, primrose standard.

Sidalceas, those very showy border plants for July to September flowering are enriched by two new varieties; Dainty Rose, fresh rose pink, and Salmon Queen, rich salmon flowers on bright red stems.

Yellow Flag Irises

YELLOW flag irises have received a lot of attention during recent years with particularly good results. There is something about a yellow iris not found in any other flower—an air of freshness, clean and bright, like a Spring morning. The new clear primrose-yellow Halicroft, with the chrome yellow Mabel Chadburn, are fitting companions to the older pretty golden-yellow Golden Hind. Brengwain is another grand iris. Its flowers are of fine form and substance, the standards being a glistening lilac with bronze suffusion at the base. The velvety falls are deep ruby-purple.

Korean chrysanthemums have been somewhat disappointing in many gardens as most of the varieties flowered too late to escape the October gales. We were favorably impressed, however, by a few kinds such as Nysa, Hebe, Venus, Sappho, Vesta and Clio, which were well in flower by mid-September.

Even earlier is last year's novelty chrysanthemum erubescens, now renamed C. rubellum, a really lovely lavender-pink and a grand plant for the border.

Cushion chrysanthemums will be popular among those who like dwarf compact plants, requiring no staking, and in this new section King Cushion, bronze, and Queen Cushion, white tinted pink, are good representatives. They grow about nine inches high and flower from June to late Autumn.

Iceland Poppies are becoming increasingly popular for borders and cutting, and in these we can have some splendid new colors. Red Cardinal, the nearest to crimson-scarlet; Fakenham Apricot, Lavender Tints and Giant Tangerine, any of which sown outdoors in April will flower the same season.

Modern Border Carnations

THE old hardy, free-flowering border carnations such as Raby Castle, Rifleman and Redbraes, once so popular, but now seldom seen, have been used by hybridists for crossing with more modern kinds and a new race termed Hardy Cottage Strain has been evolved in which the plants are dwarf so do not need staking.

They bloom very freely over a long period, producing fine flowers which have the old-world fragrance of the earlier types.

Another new race of outdoor Malmaison carnations, named after the late J. M. Bridgeford, is also now available. These grow about fifteen inches, flower in six-eight months from sowing and give huge flowers three and a half inches to four inches across in a wonderful range of colors which include the elusive yellow, the color so difficult to get in most types of carnations.

The Blue Dianthus, or perpetual flowering blue Sweet William, is unique and beautiful in coloring, and has a fragrance of its own.

Oenothera bertaloni is a really good biennial of upright, compact habit, and has extra large flowers of a full rich golden yellow.

A new and distinct color in pyrethrums is given in Salmon Beauty, a delightful rich salmon pink, and the new cornflower Lilac Lady, bright lilac mauve, is of the same height and habit as the dainty Jubilee Gem, sent out last year.

Hollyhock Indian Spring is a new departure in the fig-leaved type, and has single flowers of large size delightfully fringed or fluted and of a rich rosy carmine color.

Aubrietias are rather difficult to grow in some districts, so the new Arabis Rosy Morn is sure to find favor. It is as hardy and free as the old Snow on the Mountain, as compact in habit as a good aubrietia, and is of a beautiful rose pink color.

A Dainty Alyssum

ALYSSUM Violet Queen is the result of many years selecting, and provides a dainty edging subject of compact habit which sits close to the ground and is covered with bright violet flowers all Summer. Linum flavum compactum, the close-growing form of the yellow perennial flax will be in demand for borders and rockeries, where it will bloom from June to September.

One of the best wall shrubs of recent years is the new cotoneaster hybrida pendula, a hybrid from C. frigida. The habit of growth is fan-shaped, flat or horizontal, glossy, nearly evergreen foliage, and the many twiggy branches are simply covered with masses of brilliant scarlet berries as bright as holly berries. These retain their color from October to March.

This is a grand plant for a southeast or southwest wall or fence.

Increasing Attention Is Being Given to Science Of Farm Economics

OUT of a varied series of researches, prompted in part by the economic difficulties of agriculture in recent years, a new branch of the science of economics is evolving. It is called farm management, and in the economics branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture are the men who are pioneering in this new field of knowledge.

The future of farming in Canada, as in other countries, is uncertain. No one knows whether large-scale mechanized farming will become general. Changes brought about in recent years have altered the farmer's way of living, but alterations in his way of work have not kept pace. The work of students of farm management is concerned with devising ways of bringing modern farming practice into conformity with general economic changes and their effect on farmers' income and outgo.

It is a matter of dollars and cents, price variations, price trends, production per acre and per cow—a whole range of statistical studies impinging one upon another. As a preliminary to conclusions which may eventually be formulated and form the basis of advice given to farmers, surveys of different types of farming in different parts of the country are being carried out.

Dairy Farms Survey

TYPICAL of these is the survey made by H. R. Hare, of the department, of 242 dairy farms selling milk to condensory, cheese and cream markets. Generally this survey showed that the larger the farm, the larger the herd and the larger the milk production per cow the greater return the farmer received for his labor.

There were exceptions to this, as in some cases small farms and small herds showed good returns, but the milk production per cow was more consistent in its relation to labor returns.

Farms with less than seventy acres under crop showed average labor earnings of $422. Earnings ranged upwards with the number of acres in crop to $710 for more than 131 acres.

The number of cows affected earnings similarly, as less than ten cows on the average gave the farm an annual return of $375 and more than twenty cows $614.

Annual milk sales of less than 6,000 pounds per cow gave the farmer on the average an annual return of $317; annual sales of 6,001 to 7,500 pounds, $417; sales of 7,501 to 9,000 pounds, $680, and sales of 9,001 pounds and over, $970.

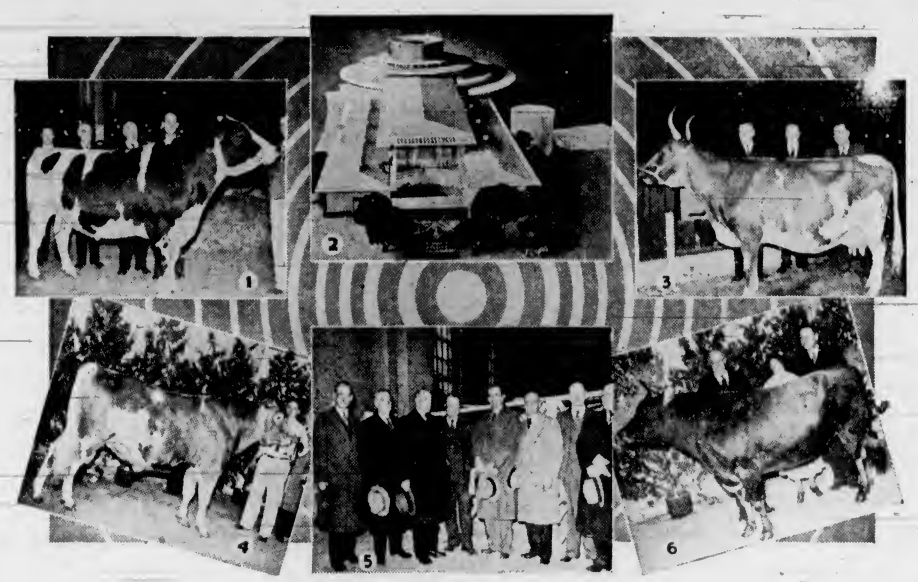
Different Crop Yields

CROP yields affected labor earnings in about the same way, the larger the yields, the larger the returns.

While farmers have little or no control over the price they receive for their products, the four other main factors in their earnings—size of farm, size of herd, milk sales per cow and crop yield—are to some extent within their control.

Farm management studies serve the dual purpose of demonstrating to farmers the importance of exercising such control and providing them with clues as to how to exercise it.

Earthworms feed for the most part on decaying vegetable matter and not on living tissues like the roots of plants, tubers and the like. In other words, worms are not pests; they do not destroy crops and they do little, if any, damage to plants. Earthworms burrow in the soil and in doing so aerate and drain it.



CANADIAN CATTLE GOING TO NEW YORK WORLD'S FAIR

Four dairy breed associations of Canada (Jersey, Ayrshire, Holstein-Friesian and Guernsey) are participating in the most important dairy cattle exhibition ever held on this Continent. It will be separately housed in a special $500,000 building at the New York World's Fair during the six months commencing May 1. Forty prize-winning Canadian cows will be selected by the various associations to represent Canada. In addition to the cows, champion bulls and prize calves of each breed will be exhibited also. In the above picture are shown (1) The Holstein bull, Lonsdale NePlus Sir Model, bred by M. L. McCarthy. (2) Home of the Dairy World of Tomorrow, New York World's Fair. (3) Ayrshire breeders Hugh Bone, Scotland; H. W. Jeffers and Frank Napier, Ottawa, secretary of the Canadian Association. (4) Broadland Victor, Grand Champion Guernsey bull at the Royal Winter Fair, Toronto, owned by W. P. Hamilton; and the first animal selected for the exhibit. (5) G. M. Clemons, secretary of the Canadian Holstein-Friesian Association; Dorr McLaury, High Bone, C. T. Conklin, K. B. Musser, Roy Grant, secretary of the Canadian Guernsey Club, and James Bremner, secretary of the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club. (6) Golden Count's High Flyer, Grand Champion Jersey bull, at the Royal Winter Fair.

Floral Decorator Suggests Subjects for Cutting Garden

JUST to prove her flower arrangements are not pure magic—at least to her—Mrs. Constance Spry, England's foremost flower decorator now lecturing in America, is permitting her audiences to peek into her own cutting garden.

She is doing this by listing and exhibiting seeds which provide unusual flowers for home decoration. They include, she admits, many of the newest and best of recent introductions by flower experts to the field of floriculture.

A glance at the list reveals names new and accustomed to garden lovers' ears. Many know Love Lies Bleeding in its red form. Few are aware, Mrs. Spry says, that the green or white form with their long green tassels have real beauty when their generous foliage is removed. This is a "must" in Mrs. Spry's cutting border in England. She grows some out of doors, but to insure early bloom brings some on in flats and then plants them outdoors. The botanical name of this hardy annual, which attains a height of three feet, is Amaranthus caudatus viridis. It's still Love Lies Bleeding.

Another four-foot hardy annual with the complicated name of Striptex hortensis has a double use and is essential in the cutting garden. Mountain spinach, as it's also known, has heavy deep red seed panicles which give rich coloring to late Summer flower groups and then, when the seeds begin to dry, they are useful in groups of mixed seed beds.

Scotch Marigolds

SCOTCH marigolds or Calendula chrysantha attain a purity of color which puts them definitely on Mrs. Spry's "must" list. The flowers are borne on long branching stems and are of the chrysanthemum type and their stems grow two feet tall. The mixed art shades of this type of flower, the English authority finds, are delightful overflowing in a large copper bowl.

To dispel the magic which many associate with her arrangements, Mrs. Spry is telling audiences this year the Cobea scandens, in both its purple and white varieties, is a flower which lends itself to many decorative effects. For table arrangements of white flowers the white cobea, with its green tinged balls which are full of character, is ideal, she says. It works well in green arrangements. The purple variety, its soft bells suffused at the base with green, may be depended upon to give point and accent to grey and green foliage arrangements and it will combine ideally to bring out pink in pink flowers and blue in blue.

Tall flower groups, Mrs. Spry explains, will be enhanced by use of the old-fashioned biennial, foxglove, or digitalis. Foxglove are plotured mostly in soft shady woodlands, but their handsome spires suggest the cutting border where they seem to pine to be picked.

Isabellina, foxglove in a delightful buff yellow, combines admirably with linden tree branches from which the leaves have been removed; the Lutz hybrids have pale apricot and peach shades and the Shirley varieties boast enormous spires in many shades.

Gleaming satiny pink flowers will make Godetia, Sybil Sherwood, sought after when once the flower lover has grown it in her cutting border and then tried it cut in artificial light.

Fragrant at Night

A FLOWER which grows fragrant as night-draws near is prized by Mrs. Spry. It is Hesperis matronalis, or old-fashioned white sweet rocket. It will do wonders for a rough corner, transforming it into a thing of beauty through two senses.

Another scented flower, a pale purplish brown one which might be passed over were it not so sweet, is Hesperis tristis. It literally drenches the air, Mrs. Spry says, at night. A vase of soft coloring will give life to its somewhat drab flowers and its scent will well repay one for care in arrangement.

Love-in-a-mist, the fanciful name of Nigella hispanica, is pale blue. Not only, Mrs. Spry avers, is the flower beautiful, but its seed capsules have dramatic value in flower arrangements and prove valuable for cutting.

Poppies, of the carnation-flowered variety, need a special treatment but reward the flower decorator as no other flower does. They should be cut in bud, just as their calyx has split, Mrs. Spry has found. Then she dips the stems for a second or two in boiling water and places the flowers in deep cold water in a cool place for a few hours before they are arranged in a warm room. Their effect, she assures the garden lover, is magical.

Peony-flowered poppies have a grand style all their own, Mrs. Spry says. Their petals are not fringed but massed together and come in a great range of color. The Rev. Wilkes' Shirley poppy is one of the best for color and substance of petal, and the Shirley poppy has a delightful blue shade in subtle tones.

The new red sunflower, large yet in no way coarse or clumsy, has given Mrs. Spry many unusual decorative effects, she says. Some of the velvet brown petals are suffused with a rosy glow while others are a dark rich brown. They associated well, she adds, with Striptex hortonsis seed panicles and complete the picture she painted of them in a copper urn. And to add the perfect touch, Mrs. Spry places a few primrose sunflowers with them.

Forced Feeding Often Ruins Laying Hens

THE appearance of one or two freak eggs is always possible, but if too many are produced it suggests the immediate overhaul of the poultry keeping methods adopted. It is very frequently due to forced feeding, and if this is the cause the pullets may be ruined for life.

Wrong feeding is unquestionably the most common reason for freak laying. It may be due to too much animal protein (fish or meat meal) at, say, over 15 per cent. Perhaps more often it results from the excessive use of corn meal, for many poultry keepers nowadays use a mash containing over 30 per cent. or about one-third of this food.

It is not unknown, too, for the poultry keeper, knowing that a little spice is beneficial during the Autumn and Winter, to use far too much.

What is wanted by the laying pullets is a plain mash, so long as every ingredient is of high grade and the whole mixture is well balanced. This is particularly important in the case of pullets at the beginning of their first laying season and until their egg organs have attained full elasticity and the birds have grown to full size.

If only one bird is laying freak eggs it suggests that her egg organs are unable to cope with the strain of heavy production. If she can be discovered, culling is the best remedy to apply.

Rust-Resistant Wheat Saved Millions for Prairie Farmers

LOOKING back over 1938, a leading Federal Agriculture Department grain expert has termed it an "historic year" which saw Western Canada for the first time spared a major catastrophe on account of wheat rust, and the farmers saved $30,000,000 by the scientific development of rust-resistant varieties.

Dr. L. H. Newman, Dominion cerealist, said the new year is being faced confidently with the knowledge that there will be enough rust-resistant seed for every producer of Spring wheat in Canada and the greatest of crop hazards will pass into history.

"Although rust was present this year in epidemic proportions, the fact that more than 3,500,000 acres were occupied by rust-resistant wheats in Manitoba and Eastern Saskatchewan, minimized the damage which otherwise would have been wrought," he said.

"Indeed, careful calculations have shown that the savings effected by these epoch-making creations amounted to probably not less than $30,000,000."

Work Is Continuing

THIS triumph over the rust scourge has not ended the work of the Canadian farm scientists in this field. On the basis of experiments with original rust-resistant wheat, Renown, Thatcher and Apex, two other new and promising varieties are now being developed at the Dominion Rust Research Laboratory in Winnipeg. They have been designated as R.L. 975.1 and R.L. 1097.

"These wheats have ranked particularly high in experimental baking tests made in Canada and also possess certain agronomic characteristics which may appeal to wheat growers in certain areas," Dr. Newman said.

"Since there may be a place for one or the other of the varieties, it was decided as a final test to have a commercial milling and baking test made of them in England. Using Thatcher as a measuring stick, the test is now actually under way and will be reported upon within the next few weeks."

Earlier Ripening

THE Government grain scientists plan to concentrate now on rust-resistant wheats which will ripen earlier and varieties which will thrive under dry conditions.

"In fact our objective must be the development of disease-resistant varieties suited to all parts of Canada and which are at least equal in inherent yielding ability and quality to Marquis as well as our other standard sorts," Dr. Newman stated.

"Some sections, such as Alberta, may not require a rust-resistant wheat, but they may at any time be called upon, as they were last Spring, to supply seed in large quantities for areas which do. National interest clearly demands that no stone be left unturned until this objective is reached."

Winter Care of Tools

WHEN the ground is frozen and there is no more work to be done with spade, trowel or pruning shears it is the time to put the toolshed in order. All broken equipment may be repaired at leisure or replaced in readiness for use early in the Spring. The lawn mower, too, is sharpened and oiled. The pruning saws and shears likewise are given a new edge, and their metal parts, together with the metal parts of other tools, are smeared with vaseline or crankcase oil to prevent them from becoming rusty.

Determining Whether to Apply Lime to Garden Soil in the Fall

THE question of liming is one which should receive the attention of every gardener. The soil in your kitchen garden, your beds and herbaceous borders may be literally crying out for lime treatment for one reason or another.

Should you wish to test for lime content, this is not difficult.

Collect a little soil from different parts of the garden. Mix it thoroughly and empty a little of the mixture into a tumbler. Add sufficient water to make a thick cream. Pour down the sides of the tumbler a few drops of spirits of salts.

Watch the reaction carefully. If there is a marked effervescence, the soil contains sufficient lime for the purpose of cultivation. Should the "fizzing" be weak or absent, lime must be applied promptly.

What lime should you use, and how?

For general application where the soil is vacant, use freshly-slaked lime.

In general, you will require six ounces of lime for every square yard on light and medium soils; eight ounces on heavy soil.

Apply the lime on a dry, calm day. Wear gloves and goggles.

Now to deal with specific applications. Should you have a plot of stiff clay to break up, freshly-slaked lime applied at the first rough digging will assist in the pulverizing of the soil to a great extent. In this case don't scatter the lime on the surface, but when digging your rough trenches "sow" the lime on the walls of each trench, and work it in that way.

To Improve Peaty Soil

IF your soil is peaty it is too acid for the ordinary garden and kitchen garden subjects, and your scope is limited.

Freshly-slaked lime will neutralize the acidity and, with the addition of some heavy loam, you will be able to crop normally. Subsequent applications of powdered lime should be made at intervals.

Portions of your garden may have become soured through continuous applications of animal manure or rotted vegetable rubbish. You will note a tendency for green scum to form, and during the growing season you may have noticed a preponderance of yellowish-green leaves and weak stems, always a sign of too much acidity.

For such a condition use freshly-slaked lime when the ground is vacant.

For the parts of the garden in cultivation such as herbaceous borders, rose beds, shrubberies, permanent vegetables, don't employ freshly-slaked lime but finely-powdered garden lime. The caustic action having been removed, this type of lime is quite safe for use even among tender seedlings and delicate plants. It is also an excellent form of lime to apply on any light soil both now and as surface dressings throughout Spring and Summer.

Gloxinia May Be Grown From Seed or From Leaf Cuttings

GLOXINIA is a native of hot climates, but is one of the most satisfactory flowers known for culture in windows as well as in greenhouse, requiring comparatively little attention in return for its brilliant, waxy blossoms and scarcely less beautiful foliage. The great variety of form and color exhibited in its flowers gives to the grower the pleasure of ever looking forward to the development of new beauties in the growing plants. New varieties usually originate in seedlings. And any desirable kind can be propagated from leaf-cuttings which strike readily.

It is interesting to grow gloxinia from seed, which is best planted in pure leaf mold. If this cannot be obtained, then a "dash of sand" is added to a mellow earth which may be used as a substitute. Leaf mold is better for the purpose than any compost, no matter how well prepared.

Planting the Seed

IF gloxinias are to be raised from seed, they are planted in a shallow box, with a pane of glass placed over the box until the seedlings appear. The seed is scattered thinly over the surface and a little fine soil sifted over them. The box may be set in a greenhouse where it is rather warm. Water is given frequently until the plants attain a height of about five inches, when they are transplated into separate pots. Though gloxinias will endure a lot of neglect, good drainage is essential, as stagnant water destroys the bulbs.

If left in the direct rays of the sun, the plants will droop, especially during the blooming period, but given a little protection they may be expected to bloom continuously for many months during the Winter. After blooming they can be kept for another season by cutting off the leaves and placing them in a dark place.

An important thing to remember in the care of gloxinias is never to get water on the buds or flowers, for this will spot or even blast the flower. The best method is to add water directly to the surface of the soil, using an amount sufficient to penetrate the bottom of the pot.

Do not think that fat birds will lay. They won't and it is up to you to see that, by providing plenty of litter, the birds get plenty of exercise.

A Page For CHILDREN

Krim and Kurt Go Skating

By EMMA PATERSON

"I'M so mad at my mother, I could chew nails!" Betty was highly indignant as she joined her little friend Carol, who had been waiting for her by the garden gate. Hand in hand they started toward school, two shiny lunch pails swinging in unison with their tiny hurried steps.

"You remember yesterday when I got my feet wet at Dugan's Pond?" Betty ignored Carol's little giggle as she went on. "Well, mother said I wasn't to do any more sliding on the pond. I must stay indoors all the noonhour, and I'm esposed to tell teacher as soon as we got to school."

"Supposed," corrected Carol. "But that's all right. I'll stay in with you and maybe we'll have some fun together."

The decision was a hard one to make, for it had been so jolly on the slippery pond each noon. These were extra special days in Happy Valley, because a cold north wind had covered all the ponds with a clear crystalline covering of thick ice—a rare event for that tiny community. Skates had been produced mysteriously from attics or barns, and everyone was having such a wonderful time that the two little girls would sadly miss the excitement, although they were only allowed to go sliding near the edge.

Carol stopped suddenly, fumbled with her lunch pail a moment, then produced a folded piece of red Cellophane paper. Betty recognized it as one of Carol's most prized possessions, coming as it had on a present for Mary, her grown-up sister, and won after a tremendous struggle with brother Bill, who wanted it for some silly things called model airplanes.

"Here, I'll give you half and we can put it in the model church as stained glass windows. You know, like teacher was telling the Grade Five yesterday."

But just as Carol spoke, a tremendous gust of wind caught the transparent paper and sent it whirling and swirling over the tops of the tall fir trees that lined the road to the school.

Now it was Betty's turn to console Carol, for her bit of paper was apparently lost—a treasure that could never be replaced. Their steps were slow and sad as they trudged on to school.

When noonhour came, the voices of the happy school children sliding and skating on the frozen pond were like so many pins sticking into them. As they ate their lunch, teacher learned of the sad accident which had made her two primary grade pupils appear so unhappy all morning. Going to the primary blackboard, she started to draw with swift, sure strokes. Fascinated, the two little girls crowded beside her and watched as a queer picture started to appear. As she drew, teacher began to tell the story of the picture:

"Sky-children are just like earth-children; they can be unhappy and disappointed; they can be made glad and full of joy by some new toy or game.

Stole the Corn

"DO you remember the anger of the Sky-Master when Krim and Kurt, our two sky-fairy friends, stole the magic popping corn while Father Christmas was fast asleep? When Father Christmas returned to the North Pole, the Sky-Master told Krim and Kurt that they were not to go to the earth for a whole week. As a further punishment he took away their suits of blue sky-cloth, replacing them with plain grey ones made from storm clouds. Both fairies were very sad and spent a good deal of their time, I'm sorry to say, sulking behind the clouds away from the other sky-children.

"Their spirits were somewhat cheered when Old Man North Wind came to visit with the Sky-Master in his palace. With him came a whole horde of wind-sprites whose merry lives seemed to be made up of mischievous pranks which they delighted to play on the earth-folk, who, of course, couldn't see them. Krim and Kurt spent several happy days wrestling and tumbling with them, but since they could not go to the earth they didn't have nearly as much fun as the sprites, who were shouting down chimneys and shaking window panes.

"'Kurt, did you see the children skating on the pond?' asked one sprite as he returned to the cloud for a rest after a particularly hard blow.

"'Yes,' replied Kurt. 'How Krim and I love skating. But we're not allowed to go down to the earth for the rest of the week. No skating for us.'

"The conversation was never finished, for just then the wind-sprite had spied two warmly-wrapped little girls hurrying towards the little school house on the hill.

"'I'm off for some fun!' and he gave a great shout to his friends, who came tumbling in all directions from the nearby clouds. Swiftly their plans were made. With a stormy swoop they raced toward the little ones, who by this time had stopped by the roadside and were discussing a piece of red paper which one girl was holding in her mittened hand.

"With a boisterous shout the fairies seized the paper and off they swirled over the top of the high fir trees. Up and up they soared, laughing and shouting in high glee over the great trick they had played. At last they came to the cloud on which their prank had been planned, and sat down to rest themselves after their strenuous exertions.

"'This is a strange bit of paper,' said Kurt, when they had caught their breath and started to examine their prize. 'It's so slippery that it feels like ice.'

"'It's not cold like ice, nor is it the right color,' added the wind-sprite, who felt that he knew all about snow and ice, working as he did for Old Man North Wind.

"Krim had been silent, thinking hard, when a happy idea struck him, and he danced around in such high spirits that he almost fell from the fleecy cloud on which they were standing.

"'Let's use it for a skating rink,' he shouted.

"'That's the best idea you ever had,' cried Kurt, as he slid over the slippery surface. Krim soon joined him, and together they whirled about on the smooth paper.

"The merry shouts of the two sky-fairies and the gusty laughter of the storm-sprites soon brought crowds of other sky-folks. They jostled and pushed so much in their happy efforts to find a space to skate on the sheet of Cellophane that the noise brought the Sky-Master and Old Man North Wind from the palace.

Really Funny Sight

"IT really was a funny sight to see the little folk trying to stand upright. As soon as about ten fairies would start to skate, the wind-sprites would seize one side of the paper and give it a tremendous jerk. Down in a heap would tumble all the little sky-folk, laughing and scolding in the same breath.

"In fact, Old Man North Wind gave such a wild gust of loud laughter that the sheet of Cellophane went skittering off the edge of the cloud, and in a second it was spinning in great circles toward the earth below.

"'Let it go!' cried the Sky-Master. 'We have a big job to do tonight. Mr. North Wind has decided to go back to his home in the Northland, and we fairies must start our Spring cleaning. I heard by special messenger, a tired grey goose, that Miss South Wind is coming for her annual visit to Happy Valley. All the clouds must be scrubbed and made white and clean and every corner of the sky must be ready for the Spring!'

"With a glad whoop, Krim and Kurt went whirling off to the palace to get brooms and scrubbing brushes. They knew that in a short time their grey suits would be changed for blue again, and the earth would be a wonderful place to visit."

Teacher had finished her story as she put the final touches on the scene in Sky-Land—fairies skating on red make-believe ice and wind-sprites pulling at its edge, with Old Man North Wind and the Sky-Master as laughing onlookers. Betty and Carol had been watching and listening with breathless attention and were sorry to have their tale come to an end.

Carol had just started to say how glad she was that the fairies had had such enjoyment from her bit of Cellophane, when her brother burst unceremoniously into the classroom.

"Excuse me, Teacher, but I just found that piece of paper Sis lost on her way to school this morning. And say, it's beginning to thaw. The ice on the pond is getting so soft we won't be able to skate any more."

"The Sky-Master was right," whispered Carol, as she and her companion started to measure the windows of the model church that soon were to be fitted with glorious "stained glass" windows.

"Yes," echoed Betty. "He was right. Soon the Spring will be here. Soon we will be able to play out-of-doors in our exposcial playhouse."

But Carol was too full of happy thoughts even to correct her.

A Hundred Years Old

ONE of the last remaining slave women is still alive and living at Bloemfontein, over a hundred years old.

She is known as Rachel Grissel. She grew up with the Grissel family during the Great Trek, and never knew her parents.

Later President Paul Kruger married her to Jim Mpidsama. After the battle of Weenen, when the Zulus massacred the Boers, Rachel found a living child under its mother's dead body. Rachel was native nurse to Mrs. Cronje, wife of the great Boer General.

Rachel is still very spry and tells tales of the bad old days. When she hears the Zulus dancing their old dances her eyes sparkle, for she remembers the time when these celebrations were forerunners of mighty things in the countryside of Natal.

Man Is His Own Star

Man is his own star, and the soul that can
Render an honest and a perfect man,
Commands all light, all influence, all fate;
Nothing to him falls early or too late;
Our acts our angels are, or good or ill,
Our fatal shadows that walk by us still.

—John Fletcher.

One of the Delights That Duncan Coles Has in Visiting the Farm of His Grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Coles, Cedar, Nanaimo River, Is the Warm Welcome From Rex, the Farm Collie. Duncan Is the Son of Mr. and Mrs. John Coles, Cedar Street, Chemainus, and a Grandson of the Late Mr. and Mrs. R. Jones, Victoria.

The Year's Festivals

St. Bridget and Candlemas

"DEAR me," mused Miss Mamie Maxton, as she paused to shelter from the chill wind the little bunch of snowdrops she was carrying, "now what story is there to tell tonight so near the end of January? Let me see, let me see. Oh yes, of course, it will soon be Irish St. Bridget's Day," and she turned through her brother Maximilian's gateway and hurried up to the house.

Nephew Maurice Murdoch Maxton rushed to the door to greet her. "Whatever is that queer noise I hear, Mudge?" she asked him. "Oh, Aunt Maimie, its Madge, and she says its tap-dancing. It's tap something alright," he grumbled. Aunt Mamie laughed heartily as niece Madeline Mabel Maxton came tapping her way along the hall and threw her arms around her aunt's neck, and before she could stop away they went tapping together, and Aunt Maimie thrust the snowdrops at her sister-in-law Mathilda as she passed, and they bumped into father, who said, "Hey, what's all this about?" and laughed and started off tapping with them. "Me too," shrieked Michael Minto, stamping his little feet all out of time.

Maurice Murdoch put his fingers in his ears. "Beastly hullaballoo," he ejaculated in disgusted tones. "Oh, come along, Mudge," said mother. "Don't be so superior. Let's join the frolic, too." Minnie fled up the stairs like a streak and sat on the landing. Matt high-stepped with his paws, trying to join in. Then one by one they dropped out, puffing and blowing, and sat down plunk on the nearest chair until only Madge was left tapping. "You win," spluttered auntie, between gasps. So she too came to a standstill. "Midge need a dwink," announced that young man, sprawled out on the floor beside the panting collie. "We all need a drink," said father. "What about lemonade and ginger cookies? All hands to the pump."

"And so say all of us," they rejoined in a chorus, mopping their heated brows and proceeding to gather lemons and lemon squeezers, sugar, glasses and other things needful, and collecting themselves round the fire in the living-room ready for Auntie Maimie's story. "Click," Matt's teeth closed on his cookie and it was gone, while Minnie, who had returned from the upper regions, chewed painstakingly on hers. "There are advantages in having a house, my dears," and father nodded wisely over his. "One could hardly indulge in such boisterous recreation in an apartment." "Very true," agreed mother. "Story," clamored the younger generation.

St. Bridget's Day

"FEBRUARY 1 is St. Bridget's Day," began Aunt Maimie, "but before I tell you about her, here's an old rhyme still sometimes used in Sussex and Surrey for the ancient custom of "apple howling" in the last week of January. The young folks troop into the orchards and, encircling the trees, repeat a charm. This is one:

'Stand fast root, bear well top,
Pray God send us a good howling crop.
Every bough, apples enow;
Every twig, apples big.
Hats full, caps full, full quarters, sacks full.'

Herrick said: 'Wassail the trees that they may beare you many a plum and many a peare.'"

"What a quaint idea," commented Mudge.

"Yes, and now for Bridget," continued Aunt Maimie. "She was an Irish princess, so you may be sure there are many legends about her. Her father was a chieftain of Ulster about 450 A.D., and it is said that she and her mother were sold to a wizard who brought her up. Now Bridget was a Christian and she converted the old man, so that he gave her her freedom. She went back to her father's house, but she gave away so much to the poor that he wanted to be rid of her. Her goodness attracted the King of Ulster, and under his protection she built a hermitage for herself under a great oak and founded a church called Kill-Dara, the cell of the oak, now Kildare. A story of her childhood days says she was sent with other maidens to get milk for her mother to make butter. She gave her milk away to the needy, but the yield of butter from the rest of the milk was increased.

"There were curious customs in Ulster on Bridget's Eve. Children were sent to pull rushes; they must on no account be cut. The family made then into crosses while the mother prepared tea and pancakes. After prayers they partook of St. Bridget's supper and hung up the crosses over doors and beds. In some places the rush gatherers ask at the door, 'May St. Bridget come in?' and are answered, 'She may,' and even in the Hebrides the mistress and servants in each family used to dress a sheaf of oats in woman's clothing, place it in a large basket and shout thrice, 'Brìid is come! Brìid is welcome.' The dandelion is her flower. It is called in Gaelic 'the little flame of God,' or St. Bride's forerunner.'"

Candlemas Day

"IS that all?" queried Madge. "Well, perhaps not quite all. Do you know what February 2 is?"

"No, auntie. What day is it?"

"It is Candlemas, and in ancient Greece it was celebrated as the day when Ceres went to the underworld with torches to search for her daughter Persephone, and the flowers returned to earth. You remember the story? Pluto carried Persephone or Proserpina off in his chariot, and Ceres, the earth goddess, sought her weeping and the flowers died. At last she heard of her and went to Jupiter, who consented to help if Persephone had not eaten in the underworld, but Pluto had persuaded her to taste a pomegranite. However, they effected a compromise by which she was allowed on earth for half the year, and that is when Spring and Summer come. The story may have originated as an allegory of the seed corn hidden in the ground.

"In pre-Christian Rome Candlemas was the torch or candle festival of the goddess Februa, from whom the month gets its name. It was later made a church festival, and if there be any who did not take down their Christmas decorations on Twelfth Night, they must do so now. The poet Herrick says:

'Down with the rosemary and bays,
Down with the mistletoe:
Instead of holly, now upraise
The greener box for show.'

Box will do till Easter, he says, then yew, till the young birch and the flowers return for Whitsun. The weather prophets said: 'If Candlemas Day be fair and bright, Winter will have another flight,' and so ends our story, or so end our stories, and it is certainly 'good night' time."

"Thank you, Aunt Maimie," they all said.

God's Pictures

Touched by a light that hath no name,
A glory never sung,
Aloft on sky and mountain wall
Are God's great pictures hung.

—John Greenleaf Whittier.

The Firstborn

Dear little daughter, four years old,
With sunny smile and dark brown eyes,
For you what does the future hold,
What hidden mystery in it lies.

These little feet so dear to me,
From the first moment of their birth,
Where shall they go to, whither flee,
To the far corners of the earth?

So busy now, they run and jump
And patter up and down the floor.
A few years hence they shall go out,
Out to return again no more.

Could I but up and follow them,
I'd make a path so smooth and wide,
With naught but glorious sun o'er head,
And beauteous flowers on every side.

Sweet music, too, should fill the air,
From bright hued birds in every tree,
The path beyond be wondrous fair
And every hideous creature flee.

Those little arms now mine alone,
They need none other now but me,
In future days when I am gone,
Who shall their proud possessor be?

Could I but choose, I'd choose a Knight,
Goodly to look at, fearless, bold,
As ready now to champion Right,
As any Knight who lived of old.

Patient with lesser mortals, too,
Yet scorning him who dares to lie,
Faithful to God, himself and you
While loving life, ready to die.

Those wondering eyes that shine for me,
As truly ever shines the sun,
What shall they gaze on, what things see
When you are grown, my little one?

Dear! May they see none else but good,
For Beauty wraps the world around,
And not alone in field or wood
A part of God Himself is found.

However dark the clouds o'erhead,
However grimed beneath the sod,
Have but the eyes to look within,
There lies the rudiment of God.

My Torch of Faith has burned so low,
It guides none other now but me,
Yet once no brighter torch did glow,
In love and faith I hand it thee.

In thy young hands its glorious light
Shall guide those stumbling sore in pain,
Hold it aloft and keep it bright,
Till thou in turn hand on again.

Dear little maid, you slumber now,
Your baby limbs wearied with play.
May gentle hands put you to rest
At setting of the sun some day.

When in the Radiant Morn you wake,
If ought there be that shall defile,
Then in that day, "Forgive me, Lord,
I was her mother for awhile".

—D.V.C.C.

The Cat and the Crow

THE Scottish crows in the treetops in a garden at Wick were continually quarrelling, but one day lately they forgot their disputes and showed a surprising unity.

A black cat had caught one of the crows, and the victim made loud protests, so that at once there was a chorus of indignant squawking from the trees. Then in mass formation a flock of crows swooped to the ground.

The cat was stealing off with its prey, but the crows formed a noisy circle round it and it could not pass. They were so menacing that the cat dropped the crow, which flew off, safe.

What can be said in favor of pin cushions?—They have good points in them.

Beacons on the Measured Mile

THE Neon light has been adopted by the authorities who maintain the Measured Mile.

This mile is the nautical mile of 6,080 feet and is the standard used to test the speed of new ships, being marked by four 100-foot masts set up forty-four years ago in pairs on the coast of Northumberland.

The two inland masts are 2,000 feet behind those nearest the ships, so that it is easy to tell when two masts and the ship are exactly in line both at the beginning and end of the official test. The only disadvantage was that in misty weather the ship, steaming in deep water three miles out, had much difficulty in sighting the inland masts.

A double row of twenty-foot-long Neon tubing has now been fitted to each mast, giving forth an intense red glow whenever required. The installation cost $4,500, owing to the fact that the supply cables had to be laid a long distance from the mains and had to be proof against storms, which beat with severity on this exposed coast. A range of five miles was contracted for, but in the recent trials the light on the more distant masts was visible from over six miles out at sea, or twice as far away as the course on which the trials take place.

The Souls We Do Not Understand

Ah, there be souls none understand;
Like clouds, they cannot touch the land
Drive as they may by field or town.
Call these not fools; the test of worth
Is not the hold you have on earth.
Lo, there be gentlest souls, sea blown,
That know not any harbor known,
And it may be the reason is
They touch on fairer shores than this.

—Joaquin Miller.

Honor Among Thieves

THERE is genuine humor, and more than that, in the story of an ex-burglar who, found loitering as though intent on picking pockets, appealed against a sentence for that loitering.

It goes to show that even a burglar has a code of honor and his conception of justice. It shows that there is good in everyone if we care to look for it.

Here is the dialogue of the late-burglar and judge, as recorded at Liverpool:

Ex-burglar (after admitting a previous conviction for housebreaking): I would never stoop so low as to pick pockets.

The Judge: What do pickpockets think of housebreakers?

Ex-burglar: I can tell you what housebreakers think of pickpockets.

The Judge: You seem to place housebreakers above pickpockets?

Ex-burglar: I think it is a more honorable profession.

The Judge: You mean housebreaking?

Ex-burglar: If you pick a man's pockets you may be taking the bread from out of his children's mouths. If you break into a big house and steal diamonds you are not taking bread out of the children's mouths.

The Judge: But if you break into a small house and take every penny a man possesses?

Ex-burglar: I would never do that.

The judge thereupon allowed the appeal. We hope the ex-burglar, who is unemployed, will carry his code of honor a little further and redeem himself.—The Children's Newspaper.

Big Game

IT apparently isn't necessary nowadays to go into the jungle to obtain big-game "bags." The big game obligingly comes to the cities.

In Abercorn, capital of Northern Rhodesia, a motorist driving along the main street, jammed on his brakes—and then accelerated hurriedly—when he saw a leopard standing near the pavement, a few yards from Government House and the shopping centre. The capital has been suffering lately from the activities of leopards in the vicinity of the town. Shortly after the motorist's experience a leopard, believed to be the one he saw, was trapped and killed.

A sum of $25 is paid to anyone who kills a leopard.

At Sylhet, Assam, a tiger walked into a tea garden. The tiger fancied a worker, who retaliated with a spade.

He wasn't very successful, and was badly mauled before other workers killed the tiger with picks and spades.

Teacher

FROM Yorkshire comes the story of a teacher who had received her month's salary and was putting it into her bag when a small boy went up to her and asked confidingly, "Is that money?"

"Yes," said the teacher.

"Is it your wages?" was the next question.

Teacher said it was. There was a pause, during which the child looked very thoughtful, and at last he whispered, "Where do you work, miss?"—The Children's Newspaper.

Great Britain and the Dominions Overseas

Singapore Defences Will Be Completed In the Present Year

Great Naval Base Is Nearly Ready to Operate at Full Capacity—Will Be Able to Maintain Full Battle Fleet

SINGAPORE (BUP).—The great naval base of Singapore, key of British Empire defences, will be completed and ready to operate at full capacity this year. Then the dockyard, most modern in the world, will be in a condition to maintain a full battle fleet. Every protective gun will be in position and the big air base beside the naval "fortress" will be in full commission, with a chain of outlying bases to guard the base.

The strength of the base is terrific, being constructed on the presumption that it might have to stand a siege until naval reinforcements could be rushed to the scene.

Although no ceremony has yet been planned for the absolute completion of the whole base, people of Singapore are already expressing the hope that the Duke and Duchess of Kent might pay a visit to Singapore on their way to Australia.

COSTLY UNDERTAKING

The base has taken fifteen years to build and has cost about £20,000,000 ($100,000,000), naval works alone having cost £11,500,000 ($57,500,000).

The heaviest guns in existence, in well-camouflaged emplacements, guard the base, and the anti-aircraft defences are described as unparalleled.

Up till now Britain could not have operated her heaviest units in Eastern waters because of the lack of a suitable base for maintenance. Now the British Navy can operate with as great safety and in as great strength in the East as in home waters.

ARE SPENDING MANY MILLIONS

Australians Are Working on Big Three-Year Defence Programme

CANBERRA, Australia (BUP).—Australia will spend £63,000,000 (approximately $315,000,000) on a three-year defence programme started eight months ago.

The expenditures were disclosed by Defence Minister G. A. Street when he outlined Australia's defence plans to the House of Representatives.

Street made it clear that the basis of Australia's defence preparations lay in co-ordination with the British Navy.

"We look to Britain in an emergency to station at Singapore a fleet of sufficient strength to safeguard Empire interests in the Eastern Hemisphere," he said. "There has been much loose talk about the September crisis proving that this could not be done. Nothing of the sort was indicated. On the contrary, the Government had sound grounds to be reassured on this point.

FULL APPRECIATION

"The people of Australia have the fullest appreciation that British sea power is the essential basis of the security of the Empire. Britain's strength is satisfactory in comparison with any two powers other than the United States, with whom, of course, war is unthinkable. If Britain is confronted with an alliance, there is no reason to believe that she would lack powerful allies. In addition, she has in hand a vast naval programme."

Because the navy, in collaboration with the British Navy, will be the first essence of Australia's defence, the greatest expenditure will be on this arm. This will amount to £20,548,000. Supporting the navy will be the air force, for which the expenditure programme is £16,444,000. Behind both will be the army, on which it is proposed to spend £19,704,000. It is planned to spend £4,855,000 on a munitions supply programme.

BUILDING MODEL WOMEN'S PRISON

LONDON (BUP).—A prison without walls and iron bars is to be built at Stanwell, Middlesex, about fifteen miles from London.

The new prison, which will be ready by the end of 1939, will replace the women's jails at Holloway and Aylesbury, and will be laid out on a new plan, the cottage system.

Prisoners will spend most of their time in the open air learning dairy farming and gardening, and will live together in their cottages according to age and individualities.

HOPING TO WIN THE DAVIS CUP

New Champions Are Seen on Tennis Horizon of Australia

SYDNEY, Australia (Australian Press Bureau).—Much controversy exists here as to whether Australia should challenge in the European Zone or the American Zone for the Davis Cup next year. Now that Donald Budge has turned professional, Australia feels it has a great chance of once more securing the tennis trophy. Norman Brookes, president of the Australian Lawn Tennis Association, wishes to challenge in the American Zone, but Harry Hopman, who captained Australia's team last year, favors the European Zone so the team may have the benefit of Wimbledon and other leading tournaments.

Meanwhile, two new tennis aces are coming to the fore. J. M. Gilchrist, nineteen years old, has become the most discussed player in Australia. He recently defeated the Davis Cup player, Vivian McGrath, and was narrowly beaten by the Australian champion, John Bromwich.

In women's tennis, Joan Hartigan, who failed to gain selection on the Australian team which toured England and the United States last year, made a "comeback" by defeating Mrs. Hopman and Nancy Wynne, both of whom were members of the touring team.

EXTENDS AID FOR CANCER VICTIMS

Plan Before British Parliament to Provide Treatment for All Curable Sufferers

LONDON (BUP).—A government grant, provided for in Great Britain's new cancer bill, will enable all curable cancer sufferers to avail themselves of modern methods of treatment.

Cancer now causes 70,000 deaths in England yearly, and at present only one case in four which might hopefully be treated is receiving attention.

Plans for the campaign will include provision of cancer centres in all large towns, and hospital beds for advanced cases. Surgery, radium and X-ray will be available for all. Local authorities will be empowered to pay, when necessary, the traveling expenses of a patient to the nearest centre.

The measure also enables the Minister of Health to lend up to $2,500,000 to the National Radium Trust for the purpose of radium and equipment.

Spectacular but Dangerous and Damaging

Rough Seas Breaking Over the Promenade of Aberystwyth, Wales, Have Hampered Workmen Attempting to Construct a New Sea Wall. At High Tide Waves Nearly Reach Houses and Hotels.

Man Is Thrown Six Feet in Air By Hooked Fish

BRISBANE (BUP).—A sawfish sixteen feet long and weighing half a ton hurled a fisherman more than six feet in the air at Mossman, Queensland. The fisherman, D. Nash, was playing the sawfish in shallow water when it lashed out at him. Nash landed unhurt.

GIVEN DAMAGES IN QUEER CASE

English Insurance Agents Confounded by Strange Claim in Court

LONDON (BUP).—Insurance experts of England have been thrown into confusion by the strangest accident case on record.

Mrs. Mary Agnes Smith, forty-nine, of Manchester, was standing on the pavement when she saw a collision between a car and a lorry. Thinking that the skidding car was coming straight at her, she screamed and collapsed with fright. She was rushed to hospital and nearly died of shock.

When she sued the owners of the car and the lorry for damages, her counsel said that she had developed heart trouble from seeing the smash and would be an invalid for the rest of her life. The judge held both drivers to blame for the accident, and apportioned $12,500 damages to Mrs. Smith equally between them.

This is the first case of its kind on record and promises to result in an increase of insurance premiums for motorists.

TOY TRAINS USED IN INSANITY CURE

LONDON (BUP).—A toy electric train is helping to cure bad cases of schizophrenia at Wadsley Mental Hospital, according to a report of the Lunacy Board.

The board will repeat the experiment in other hospitals, and is seeking some similar distraction for women patients.

Gt. Britain Reaping Benefit From Giving Haven to Refugees

New Industries Being Started by Jews Expelled From Germany—Work Being Given to British Unemployed in Factories

LONDON (BUP).—Great Britain is beginning to feel the benefit of the brains and industrial ability of the 12,000 aliens—scientists and business executives included—who have come to this country since the Jewish pogrom began in Germany, The London Star reports.

According to the report, the refugees have already been instrumental in giving work to nearly 16,000 unemployed. Many new factories have been started in the distressed areas. Far-seeing German Jews transferred hundreds of thousands of pounds to British banks long ago, and this money is now being used to bring to England industries which have so far been almost exclusively German, Austrian or Czech.

A special department of the Home Office is dealing with a heavy rush for permission to open new businesses and factories. Before granting permits the British officials make certain that the necessary capital is available, that British workmen will be employed at trade union rates, and that it is to the advantage of British trade interests.

IN DEPRESSED AREAS

It is specified that many of the new factories have to be established in depressed areas, where industry has stagnated for years and unemployment and misery are at their worst.

One important development is the plan of a group of German Jews to start an ophthalmic glass factory in England. Great secrecy is being maintained, but the plan has caused great interest in military circles. At present 90 per cent of the finest type of ophthalmic glass used in binoculars and such precision instruments as microscopes is made in Germany. Now there is a chance for England to have this industry established.

Just like the days when France lost her greatest textile experts to England through the persecution of the Hugenots, and thus founded the greatest English industry, so Britain seems likely to benefit from the Nazi persecution.

SETTLE DISPUTES WITH CROCODILES

Natives of Nigeria Have Strange Method of Practising Trial By Ordeal

LONDON (BUP).—How natives in Northern Cameroon and Nigeria settle disputes among themselves by using a crocodile-infested pool is revealed by Capt. R. R. Oakley, a former political officer and magistrate in the Nigerian Administrative Service, writes of his many strange missions to out-of-the-way places when enforcing the white man's law.

The theory of the crocodile pool, he says, was that it would show which of the disputing parties was telling the truth. In the presence of witnesses, disputants would enter the pool from opposite sides and try to swim across.

Natives held the view that the man who was really truthful would swim across without difficulty, but that the false person would at the last minute either refuse to swim or, if he did enter the water, would be seized by a crocodile.

LIBEL LAW FOR EMPIRE COMING

Present Laxness Cause of Racketeering Legal Actions Against Paper

LONDON (BUP).—After English newspapers have suffered for years from "racketeering" legal actions made possible by the present lax libel law, a move is being made to put a stop to the racket and set an example for the Empire.

The move takes the form of the Law of Libel (Amendment) Bill, a measure promoted by private members to amend the law relating to libel and slander, which is sponsored by the Empire Press Union in association with A. P. Herbert, the author, who sponsored the new English divorce law. There are hopes that this bill may provide a model on which a common law of libel and slander for the whole Empire can be established.

It is proposed to limit the liability of writers, publishers and any other defendants in actions for libel to cases where there has been wrongful intent or negligence. The liability of persons such as news agents and booksellers who distribute publications which happen to contain libels is limited to cases where the publication is known to contain the libel or ought to be known to be of a character likely to contain libel.

An important provision of the bill is that a plaintiff in an action for libel or slander shall not be entitled to general damages unless he gives oral evidence that his reputation has suffered or may suffer, thus giving counsel for the defendant a chance of cross-examination—which might prove more damaging for the plaintiff than the libel he alleges.

It is also provided that a plaintiff in an action for libel or slander shall not recover more costs than damages, unless the judge makes an order to the contrary.

Clause 5 of the bill extends the protection given by section 4 of the Law of Libel Amendment Act, 1888, to newspaper reports of proceedings of certain specified bodies and persons so that it shall apply to "newspaper reports of all proceedings, such as those of tribunals under various modern statutes, to which the public are admitted, and to copies of documents to which the public have access, when such reports are in the public interest."

The next clause extends the protection given by the same section of the same act to newspaper reports of proceedings of public meetings so that it shall apply to newspaper reports of meetings of public companies. Another provision of the bill abolishes the distinction between written and spoken defamation as regards the necessity of proving special damage.

HOPING TO SET DRESS STYLES

Australian Cities See Vision Of Rivaling London and Paris

MELBOURNE (BUP).—Social leaders here and in Sydney are hoping that these cities, under the guidance of the Duchess of Kent, will become fashion centres that will rival London and Paris.

They believe that when the Duchess arrives in November next year, accompanying her husband as the Governor-General of Australia, her latest dress creations will be flashed back to England in photographs and news reels.

In this way England will take its fashion lead from Australia instead, as at present Australia following the Home Country's most successful styles.

It is claimed here that Australia's geographical position will put the Duchess' fashions two seasons ahead of the Northern Hemisphere.

The Duchess' arrival will coincide with the great social and racing season, when London's light Summer frocks are giving way to furs.

The Duchess' new styles will thus give a lead to Northern fashion leaders for the Spring of 1940.

DRESSY WOMAN RUINED HUSBAND

LONDON (BUP).—An ex-Guards officer, who once occupied the Imperial suite at Claridge's London's smartest hotel, now lives alone in a tiny cottage near Kendal on his war pension of $2 a week.

He is Edward Henry Smith-Wilkinson, who was known fifteen years ago as the husband of the "best-dressed woman in the world." His wife spent all his fortune—more than $1,250,000—on clothes.

Mrs. Smith-Wilkinson spent as much as $50,000 a week on dresses. She thought nothing of paying $15,000 for a fur coat, $600 for a gown and $400 for a hat. She even had her teeth studded with diamonds.

Postoffice Has Vast Amount of Repairs to Make

Also Innumerable Puzzles in Deciphering Improperly Addressed Letters and Parcels—Damages Awarded to Witness of Accident—The Vanishing Threepenny-Bit

By GLANVILLE CAREW

LONDON (BUP).—It would be a good object lesson to people who send off wrongly addressed or badly tied up letters and parcels, especially at Christmas time and around the New Year, if they were shown around the returned letter section of the postoffice at Mount Pleasant in London.

There they would see some of the 3,750,000 letters, 70,000 parcels and 60,000 registered letters which arrive at Mount Pleasant every year for tracing or treatment of one sort and another.

Letters and parcels addressed to such and such a street but with the town omitted; letters addressed to a town with no addressee's name . . .

If there has been a tram wreck with fire resulting, thousands of tattered and charred letters have to be reconstructed, bags of mail recovered from an airplane which has crashed in the sea have to be dried and the blurred addresses deciphered. Some red currant jelly en route from Canada to Australia is leaking through its wrapper—the "surgeons" will see to that.

A very large proportion of these strays are finally delivered, but, even allowing for these, many thousands find themselves sorted out for auction sales, held every three months, at which purchasers may buy cheaply almost anything "from pins to white elephants."

SHOCKED WITNESS

Here is a strange situation which has arisen and will cause any amount of work and trouble if two cases stand—one of which has just passed the Court of Appeal.

In the one case a plaintiff suffered shock after seeing an accident but without being actually involved in it—a collision between a motor car and a lorry—and was awarded damages. In the other case the Court of Appeal allowed the appeal of relatives who claimed damages for shock after seeing a tramcar collide with a funeral hearse.

So, at present, the situation seems to be that if A throws on the pavement some orange peel and B slips up on it, B can sue A for damages, and—which is the point—so can any number of passers-by who saw A throw and B slip if they can prove themselves sufficiently shocked at the sight. And the same thing would apparently apply to witnesses of a ear smash.

So if insurance companies don't exclude such incalculable risks in their policies what would happen to them? And if they do exclude them what would happen except bankruptcy to a motorist?

MYSTERIES OF COINAGE

The great mystery of the vanished three-penny bits is still unsolved, although the Comptroller of the Royal Mint has a theory about it.

Actually the total number issued up to August, 1937, was no less than 55,550,400 of these copper twelve-sided coins. This is what the comptroller says in his annual report:

"Excited inquirers asked whether it was true that the issue . . . was to be withdrawn and re-minted because, as they had heard, a full stop had been used in the inscription instead of a colon. It was asserted that the issue had been made without legal authority and could therefore be refused as tender for a bus fare, or what not; advice was sought whether the coins were valid for a silver collection or salutary in a Christmas pudding; we were warned that the cost of minting was in excess of the face value, and that they were all being accumulated in Scotland."

The report—widely spread—that the coins were to be withdrawn led to the enterprising to gamble on a "survival value," and it is said that quite considerable accumulations of the coin were made by individuals and that fancy prices were sometimes obtained for specimens. There is no reason to think that there is any widespread dislike for the coins. Probably the influence of the legends to which I have referred above may have tended to drive the coins literally into "pockets" and to discourage their active circulation, but the major reason for their invisibility is to be sought in the enormous quantity of metallic currency required under modern conditions.

TONS OF METAL

According to the Mint Comptroller's report there were more than 417,000,000 struck in the year—1937, and the production of the coinage bars required the smelting and blending of over 4,800 tons of metal.

"Imperial coinage was responsible for 260,000,000 pieces, a number not reached since 1921, and with the acceleration of industry coin for home circulation was urgently needed. Demand was also increased by the desire of people to keep specimens of the first coins to bear the effigy of King George VI.

"In the first part of 1937 coins continued to be struck with the effigy of King George V and the date 1936. The new designs were authorized on March 18, 1937, and during the rest of the year the following coins of King George VI were struck: 418,699 crowns, 6,365,112 half-crowns, 9,810,947 florins, 1,507,632 shillings with the crest of England, 9,541,250 shillings with the crest of Scotland, 116,438,897 sixpences, 5,586,910 silver threepences, 88,896,000 pence, 24,504,000 halfpence and 8,131,200 farthings.

"The more than 417,000,000 coins passed for issue represented 99.78 per cent of the number examined."

FLAMES DAMAGE OLDEST CASTLE

Treasured Relic of the Macleods Saved From Fire in Dunvegan, Skye

EDINBURGH (BUP).—Fire damaged the south wing of Scotland's oldest castle, Dunvegan, on the Isle of Skye, for centuries the seat of the Macleod of Macleod.

During one of the first snowstorms of the season, more than 200 islanders fought savagely to quench the flames and salvage the historic treasures within the ancient walls.

One of Scotland's most treasured relics, the Fairy Flag, was snatched undamaged from the fire. This tattered yellow shred, according to legend, was given to one of the old chiefs by a fairy whom he had loved. She gave it to him, telling him that if he or any of his clan was in danger the banner must be waved and help would come.

Motorist May See Round Corner

AUCKLAND, N.Z. (BUP).—The driver of the future will be able to steer his car by watching a fluorescent screen on the dashboard showing the road for a mile ahead in panoramic view, Courtney Atwool, New Zealand insurance official, told a meeting of business men here.

He also suggested that another possible development was the use of radio directional control for motor vehicles.

BACK TO QUARANTINE

The Baby Giant Panda of the London Zoo Retires After a Public Appearance. The Zoo Has Two Other Pandas Which Have Not Been Shown to the Public Yet.

TAKING THE SALUTE

Sir Frank Bowater, Lord Mayor of London, at the March Past During the Memorial Parade of the 90th London Field Brigade.